

#### **Division of Facilities Construction and Management**

#### MULTI-STEP BIDDING PROCESS FOR CONTRACTORS

# **Request For Solicitation For Construction Services**

### **Stage II – Mechanical Contractors Bidders List**

March 21, 2007

## HVAC SYSTEM UPGRADE DEQ BUILDING #2

# DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

DFCM Project No. 06170310

WHW Engineering, Inc. 1354 East 3300 South, #200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84106

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#### Fairpark Map

Current copies of the following documents are hereby made part of these contract documents by reference. These documents are available on the DFCM web site at <a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov">http://dfcm.utah.gov</a> or are available upon request from DFCM:

DFCM General Conditions dated May 25, 2005 DFCM Application and Certificate for Payment dated May 25, 2005

**Technical Specifications:** 

Drawings:

The Agreement and General Conditions dated May 25, 2005 have been updated from versions that were formally adopted and in use prior to this date. The changes made to the General Conditions are identified in a document entitled Revisions to General Conditions that is available on DFCM's web site at http://dfcm.utah.gov

#### **INVITATION TO BID**

#### ONLY FIRMS PRE-QUALIFIED DURING STAGE I OF THE RFS ARE ALLOWED TO BID ON THIS PROJECT

The State of Utah - Division of Facilities Construction and Management (DFCM) is requesting bids for the construction of the following project:

# HVAC SYSTEM UPGRADE - DEQ BUILDING #2 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY - SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH DFCM PROJECT NO: 06170310

Project Description: Replace the existing rooftop units, boiler, and boiler room piping including pumps, air separator, expansion tank and piping. The new equipment is to be connected to and controlled from the existing automatic temperature control system as a part of this project. Construction Cost Estimate: \$261,000

FIRM NAME	POINT OF CONTACT	PHONE	<u>FAX</u>
A.H. Palmer	Val Palmer	(435) 752-4814	(435) 752-6991
Alternative Mechanical Contractors	Ron White	(801) 261-8523	(801) 261-8561
Envision Mechanical, Inc	Ray Squier	(801) 731-8060	(801) 731-8070
KOH Mechanical Contractors	Larry Hansen	(801) 254-7013	(801) 254-6374
Ralph Tye and Sons, Inc.	Doug Tye	(801) 262-9900	(801) 262-1391
S.R. Mechanical, Inc.	Steven Roberts	(435) 529-7492	(435) 529-7851
Tod R. Packer Heating & Air	Tod R. Packer	(801) 968-2255	(801) 849-1314

The bid documents will be available at 12:00 Noon on Wednesday, March 21, 2007 and distributed in electronic format only on CDs from DFCM at the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark, approximately 155 North 1000 West, Salt Lake City, Utah and on the DFCM web page at <a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov">http://dfcm.utah.gov</a>. For questions regarding this project, please contact Craig Wessman, Project Manager, DFCM, at (801) 673-2107. No others are to be contacted regarding this project. A MANDATORY pre-bid meeting and site visit will be held at 9:00 AM on Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at DEQ Building #2, 168 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah. All pre-qualified prime contractors wishing to bid on this project must attend this meeting.

Bids must be submitted by 2:00 PM on Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark, approximately 155 North 1000 West, Salt Lake City, Utah. Refer to the map on the DFCM website for directions (<a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov/downloads/fairpark\_map.pdf">http://dfcm.utah.gov/downloads/fairpark\_map.pdf</a>). Bids will be opened and read aloud in the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark. Note: Bids must be received at the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark by the specified time. The contractor shall comply with and require all of its subcontractors to comply with the license laws as required by the State of Utah.

A bid bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid amount, made payable to the Division of Facilities Construction and Management on DFCM's bid bond form, shall accompany the bid.

The Division of Facilities Construction & Management reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any formality or technicality in any bid in the interest of the State.

DIVISION OF FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION AND MANAGEMENT MARLA WORKMAN, CONTRACT COORDINATOR 4110 State Office Bldg., Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

#### STAGE II - MULTI-STEP BIDDING PROCESS

ONLY FIRMS PRE-QUALIFIED DURING STAGE I OF THE RFS ARE ALLOWED TO BID ON THIS PROJECT

#### 1. Invitational Bid Procedures

The following is an overview of the invitational bid process. More detailed information is contained throughout the document. Contractors are responsible for reading and complying with all information contained in this document.

<u>Notification:</u> DFCM will notify each registered pre-qualified firm (via fax or e-mail) when a project is ready for Construction Services and invite them to bid on the project.

<u>Description of Work:</u> A description of work or plans/specifications will be given to each contractor. If required, the plans and specifications will be available on the DFCM web page at <a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov">http://dfcm.utah.gov</a> and on CDs from DFCM at the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark, approximately 155 North 1000 West, Salt Lake City, Utah.

<u>Schedule:</u> The Stage II Schedule shows critical dates including the mandatory pre-bid site meeting (if required), the question and answer period, the bid submittal deadline, the subcontractor list submittal deadline, etc. Contractors are responsible for meeting all deadlines shown on the schedule.

<u>Mandatory Pre-Bid Site Meeting:</u> If a firm fails to attend a pre-bid site meeting labeled "Mandatory" they will not be allowed to bid on the project. At the mandatory meeting, contractors may have an opportunity to inspect the site, receive additional instructions and ask questions about project. The schedule contains information on the date, time, and place of the mandatory pre-bid site meeting.

<u>Written Questions</u>: All questions must be in writing and directed to DFCM's project manager assigned to this project. No others are to be contacted regarding this project. The schedule contains information on the deadline for submitting questions.

Addendum: All clarifications from DFCM will be in writing and issued as an addendum to the RFS. Addenda will be posted on DFCM's web site at <a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov">http://dfcm.utah.gov</a>. Contractors are responsible for obtaining information contained in each addendum from the web site. Addenda issued prior to the submittal deadline shall become part of the bidding process and must be acknowledged on the bid form. Failure to acknowledge addenda may result in disqualification from bidding.

<u>Submitting Bids:</u> Bids must be submitted to DFCM by the deadline indicated on the schedule. Due to the ongoing construction on Capitol Hill and the anticipated shortage of parking during 2007, all bids will be received at the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark. Refer to map on the DFCM web site for directions (<a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov/downloads/fairpark">http://dfcm.utah.gov/downloads/fairpark</a> map.pdf) Bids submitted after the deadline will not be accepted. Bids will be opened by DFCM on the date, time, and place indicated on the schedule.

<u>Subcontractors List:</u> The firm selected for the project must submit a list of all subcontractors by the deadline indicated on the schedule contained in this document.

<u>Pre-qualified List of Contractors:</u> Contractors shall remain on DFCM's list of pre-qualified contractors provided: (a) they maintain a performance rating of 4 or greater on each project, (b) they are not suspended for failure to comply with requirements of their contract, (c) the firm has not undergone a significant reorganization involving the loss of key personnel (site superintendents, project managers, owners, etc.) to a degree such that the firm no longer meets the pre-qualification requirements outlined in Stage I, (d) the financial viability of the firm has not significantly changed, and (e) the firm is not otherwise disqualified by DFCM. Note: If a contractor fails to comply with items (a) through (e) above,

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they may be removed from DFCM's list of pre-qualified contractors following an evaluation by a review committee. Contractors will be given the opportunity to address the review committee before a decision is made. Pre-qualified contractors are ONLY authorized to bid on projects within the discipline that they were originally pre-qualified under.

#### 2. Drawings and Specifications and Interpretations

Drawings, specifications and other contract documents may be obtained as stated in the Invitation to Bid. If any firm is in doubt as to the meaning or interpretation of any part of the drawings, specifications, scope of work or contract documents, they shall submit, in writing, a request for interpretation to the authorized DFCM representative by the deadline identified in the schedule. Answers to questions and interpretations will be made via addenda issued by DFCM. Neither DFCM or the designer shall be responsible for incorrect information obtained by contractors from sources other than the official drawings/specifications and addenda issued by DFCM.

#### 3. Product Approvals

Where reference is made to one or more proprietary products in the contract documents, but restrictive descriptive materials of one or more manufacturer(s) is referred to in the contract documents, the products of other manufacturers will be accepted, provided they equal or exceed the standards set forth in the drawings and specifications and are compatible with the intent and purpose of the design, subject to the written approval of the Designer. Such written approval must occur prior to the deadline established for the last scheduled addendum to be issued. The Designer's written approval will be included as part of the addendum issued by DFCM. If the descriptive material is not restrictive, the products of other manufacturers specified will be accepted without prior approval provided they are compatible with the intent and purpose of the design as determined by the Designer.

#### 4. Addenda

All clarifications from DFCM will be in writing and issued as an addendum to the RFS. Addenda will be posted on DFCM's web site at <a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov">http://dfcm.utah.gov</a>. Contractors are responsible for obtaining information contained in each addendum from the web site. Addenda issued prior to the submittal deadline shall become part of the bidding process and must be acknowledged on the bid form. Failure to acknowledge addenda shall result in disqualification from bidding. DFCM shall not be responsible for incorrect information obtained by contractors from sources other than official addenda issued by DFCM.

#### 5. Financial Responsibility of Contractors, Subcontractors and Sub-subcontractors

Contractors shall respond promptly to any inquiry in writing by DFCM to any concern of financial responsibility of the Contractor, Subcontractor or Sub-subcontractor. Failure to respond may result in suspension from DFCM's list of pre-qualified contractors.

#### 6. Licensure

The Contractor shall comply with and require all of its Subcontractors to comply with the license laws as required by the State of Utah.

#### 7. Time is of the Essence

Time is of the essence in regard to all the requirements of the contract documents.

#### 8. Bids

Before submitting a bid, each bidder shall carefully examine the contract documents; shall visit the site of the work; shall fully inform themselves as to all existing conditions and limitations; and shall include in the bid the cost of all items required by the contract documents including those added via addenda. If the bidder observes that portions of the contract documents are at variance with applicable laws, building codes, rules, regulations or contain obvious erroneous or uncoordinated information, the bidder shall promptly notify the DFCM Project Manager prior to the bidding deadline. Changes necessary to correct these issues will be made via addenda issued by DFCM.

The bid, bearing original signatures, must be typed or handwritten in ink on the Bid Form provided in the procurement documents and submitted in a sealed envelope at the location specified by the Invitation to Bid prior to the published deadline for the submission of bids.

Bid bond security, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid, made payable to the Division of Facilities Construction and Management, shall accompany bid. THE BID BOND MUST BE ON THE BID BOND FORM PROVIDED IN THE PROCUREMENT DOCUMENTS IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED AN ACCEPTABLE BID.

If the bid bond security is submitted on a form other than DFCM's required bid bond form, and the bid security meets all other legal requirements, the bidder will be allowed to provide an acceptable bid bond by the close of business on the next business day following notification by DFCM of submission of a defective bid bond security. A cashier's check cannot be used as a substitute for a bid bond.

#### 9. Listing of Subcontractors

Listing of Subcontractors shall be as summarized in the "Instructions and Subcontractor's List Form", included as part of the contract documents. The subcontractors list shall be delivered to DFCM or faxed to DFCM at (801)538-3677 within 24 hours of the bid opening. Requirements for listing additional subcontractors will be listed in the contract documents.

DFCM retains the right to audit or take other steps necessary to confirm compliance with requirements for the listing and changing of subcontractors. Any contractor who is found to not be in compliance with these requirements may be suspended from DFCM's list of pre-qualified contractors.

#### 10. Contract and Bond

The Contractor's Agreement will be in the form provided in this document. The duration of the contract shall be for the time indicated by the project completion deadline shown on the schedule. The successful bidder, simultaneously with the execution of the Contractor's Agreement, will be required to furnish a performance bond and a payment bond, both bearing original signatures, upon the forms provided in the procurement documents. The performance and payment bonds shall be for an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Sum and secured from a company that meets the requirements specified in the requisite forms. Any bonding requirements for Subcontractors will be specified in the Supplementary General Conditions.

#### 11. Award of Contract

The Contract will be awarded as soon as possible to the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder, based on the lowest combination of base bid and acceptable prioritized alternates, provided the bid is reasonable, is in the interests of DFCM to accept and after applying the Utah Preference Laws in U.C.A. Title 63, Chapter 56. DFCM reserves the right to waive any technicalities or formalities in any bid or in the bidding. Alternates will be accepted on a prioritized basis with Alternate 1 being highest priority, Alternate 2 having second priority, etc. Alternates will be selected in prioritized order up to the construction cost estimate.

#### 12. Right to Reject Bids

DFCM reserves the right to reject any or all Bids.

#### 13. Withdrawal of Bids

Bids may be withdrawn on written request received from bidders within 24 hours after the bid opening if the contractor has made an error in preparing the bid.

#### 14. <u>DFCM Contractor Performance Rating</u>

As a contractor completes each project, DFCM will evaluate project performance based on the enclosed "DFCM Contractor Performance Rating" form. The ratings issued on this project may affect the firm's "pre-qualified" status and their ability to obtain future work with DFCM.





#### Division of Facilities Construction and Management

#### Stage II PROJECT SCHEDULE

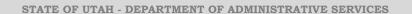
PROJECT NAME: HVAC SYSTEM UPGRADE - DEQ BUILDING #2

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY – SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

**DFCM PROJECT #: 06170310** 

Event	Day	Date	Time	Place
				****
Stage II Bidding	Wednesday	March 21, 2007	12:00 NOON	Wasatch Building
Documents Available				Utah State Fairpark
				Approx 155 North 1000 West
				Salt Lake City, UT or DFCM web
				site *
Mandatory Pre-bid Site	Tuesday	March 27, 2007	9:00 AM	DEQ Building #2
Meeting				168 North 1950 West
				Salt Lake City, UT
Deadline for Submitting	Thursday	March 29, 2007	4:00 PM	DFCM-Craig Wessman e-mail
Questions				cwessman@utah.gov or fax to
				801-538-8487
Addendum Issued	Monday	April 2, 2007	2:00 PM	DFCM web site*
Responding to Questions				
(if needed)				
Prime Contractors Turn in	Wednesday	April 4, 2007	2:00 PM	Wasatch Building
Bid and Bid Bond	-	_		Utah State Fairpark
				Approx 155 North 1000 West
				Salt Lake City, UT **
Subcontractors List Due	Thursday	April 5, 2007	2:00 PM	DFCM
	Ĭ	1 ,		4110 State Office Building
				SLC, UT
				Fax 801-538-3677
Substantial Completion	Friday	September 14, 2007		
Date	,			

- \* NOTE: DFCM's web site address is http://dfcm.utah.gov
- \*\* Due to the ongoing construction on Capitol Hill and the anticipated shortage of parking during 2007, all bids will be received and opened at the Wasatch Building at the Utah State Fairpark. Refer to map on the DFCM web site for directions (<a href="http://dfcm.utah.gov/downloads/fairpark\_map.pdf">http://dfcm.utah.gov/downloads/fairpark\_map.pdf</a>)





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#### **BID FORM**

NAME OF BIDDER	DATE
To the Division of Facilities Construction and Management 4110 State Office Building Salt Lake City, Utah 84114	nt
The undersigned, responsive to the "Invitation to Bid" and SYSTEM UPGRADE - DEQ BUILDING #2 - DEPAR' SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH - DFCM PROJECT NO. 0 and the site of the proposed Work and being familiar with proposed Project, including the availability of labor, herebrequired for the Work in accordance with the Contract Do the price stated below. This price is to cover all expenses Contract Documents of which this bid is a part:	TMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY 06170310 and having examined the Contract Documents all of the conditions surrounding the construction of the by proposes to furnish all labor, materials and supplies as cuments as specified and within the time set forth and at
I/We acknowledge receipt of the following Addenda:	
For all work shown on the Drawings and described in the perform for the sum of:	Specifications and Contract Documents, I/we agree to
	DOLLARS (\$)
(In case of discrepancy, written amount shall govern)	
I/We guarantee that the Work will be Substantially Compl successful bidder, and agree to pay liquidated damages in expiration of the Contract Time as stated in Article 3 of the	the amount of \$175.00 per day for each day after
This bid shall be good for 45 days after bid opening.	
Enclosed is a 5% bid bond, as required, in the sum of	
The undersigned Contractor's License Number for Utah is	·

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Upon receipt of notice of award of this bid, the undersigned agrees to execute the contract within ten (10) days, unless a shorter time is specified in Contract Documents, and deliver acceptable Performance and Payment bonds in the prescribed form in the amount of 100% of the Contract Sum for faithful performance of the contract. The Bid Bond attached, in the amount not less than five percent (5%) of the above bid sum, shall become the property of the Division of Facilities Construction and Management as liquidated damages for delay and additional expense caused thereby in the event that the contract is not executed and/or acceptable 100% Performance and Payment bonds are not delivered within time set forth.

Type of Organization:		
71 0	(Corporation, Partnership, Individual	ual, etc.)
Any request and inform	nation related to Utah Preference La	.ws:
	Respectfu	ally submitted,
	Name of I	Bidder
	ADDRES	'S:
	<u> </u>	ed Signature
	Authorize	A Nignanire

**BID BOND** (Title 63, Chapter 56, U. C. A. 1953, as Amended)

#### KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That	hereinafter referred to as the			
incipal," and, a corporation organized and existing und laws of the State of, with its principal office in the City of and authorized to transact business				
the laws of the State of, with its principal office in the this State and U. S. Department of the Treasury Listed, (Circular 570, Comp	anies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Securities on			
Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies); hereinafter referred to as the "Surety," are held and firmly bound unto the STATE Of				
UTAH, hereinafter referred to as the "Obligee," in the amount of \$ the sum of this Bond to which payment the Principal and Surety bind themse	(5% of the accompanying bid), being			
the sum of this Bond to which payment the Principal and Surety bind themse	elves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns,			
jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.				
THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that w incorporated by reference herein, dated as shown, to enter into a contract it	hereas the Principal has submitted to Obligee the accompanying bid			
incorporated by reference nerein, dated as snown, to enter into a contract r				
	110Jeet.			
	DBLIGATION IS SUCH, that if the said principal does not execute			
a contract and give bond to be approved by the Obligee for the faithful perfo	ormance thereof within ten (10) days after being notified in writing			
of such contract to the principal, then the sum of the amount stated above wi a penalty; if the said principal shall execute a contract and give bond to be a	If be fortested to the State of Utah as liquidated damages and not as			
ten (10) days after being notified in writing of such contract to the Principal shall be a such contract to the su	pproved by the Obligee for the faithful performance thereof within sinal, then this obligation shall be null and void. It is expressly			
understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all defaults	of the Principal hereunder shall be the full penal sum of this Bond.			
The Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that obligations	of the Surety under this Bond shall be for a term of sixty (60) days			
from actual date of the bid opening.				
PROVIDED HOWEVER that this Rond is executed pursuant to	o provisions of Title 63, Chapter 56, Utah Code Annotated, 1953, as			
amended, and all liabilities on this Bond shall be determined in accordance	with said provisions to same extent as if it were copied at length			
herein.	with said provisions to saine extent as if it were copied at rengan			
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above bounden parties have exe	cuted this instrument under their several seals on the date indicated			
below, the name and corporate seal of each corporate party being hereto affix pursuant to authority of its governing body.	ed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative,			
pursuant to authority of its governing body.				
<b>DATED</b> this day of, 20				
Principal's name and address (if other than a corporation):	Principal's name and address (if a corporation):			
D	D			
By:	By:			
Title:	Title:(Affix Corporate Seal)			
	(Affix Corporate Seal)			
	Surety's name and address:			
STATE OF)	n .			
COUNTY OF) ss.	By:			
COUNTY OF	Attorney-in-ract (Affix Corporate Sear)			
On this day of, 20, personally appeare whose identity is personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of sa	ed before me			
whose identity is personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of sa	tisfactory evidence, and who, being by me duly sworn, did say that			
he/she is the Attorney-in-fact of the above-named Surety Company, and tha				
all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to becoming sole surety upon				
to me that as Attorney-in-fact executed the same	bonds, undertakings and obligations, and that ne/sne acknowledged			
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of				
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of My Commission Expires:				
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#### INSTRUCTION AND SUBCONTRACTORS LIST FORM

The three low bidders, as well as all other bidders that desire to be considered, are required by law to submit to DFCM within 24 hours of bid opening a list of <u>ALL</u> first-tier subcontractors, including the subcontractor's name, bid amount and other information required by Building Board Rule and as stated in these Contract Documents, on the following basis:

### PROJECTS UNDER \$500,000 - ALL SUBS \$20,000 OR OVER MUST BE LISTED PROJECTS \$500,000 OR MORE - ALL SUBS \$35,000 OR OVER MUST BE LISTED

- Any additional subcontractors identified in the bid documents shall also be listed.
- The DFCM Director may not consider any bid submitted by a bidder if the bidder fails to submit a subcontractor list meeting the requirements of State law.
- List subcontractors for base bid as well as the impact on the list that the selection of any alternate may have.
- Bidder may not list more than one subcontractor to perform the same work.
- Bidder must list "Self" if performing work itself.

#### LICENSURE:

The subcontractor's name, the type of work, the subcontractor's bid amount, and the subcontractor's license number as issued by DOPL, if such license is required under Utah Law, shall be listed. Bidder shall certify that all subcontractors, required to be licensed, are licensed as required by State law. A subcontractor includes a trade contractor or specialty contractor and does not include suppliers who provide <u>only</u> materials, equipment, or supplies to a contractor or subcontractor.

#### BIDDER LISTING 'SELF' AS PERFORMING THE WORK:

Any bidder that is properly licensed for the particular work and intends to perform that work itself in lieu of a subcontractor that would otherwise be required to be on the subcontractor list, must insert the term 'Self' for that category on the subcontractor list form. Any listing of 'Self' on the sublist form shall also include the amount allocated for that work.

#### **'SPECIAL EXCEPTION'**:

A bidder may list 'Special Exception' in place of a subcontractor when the bidder intends to obtain a subcontractor to perform the work at a later date because the bidder was unable to obtain a qualified or reasonable bid under the provisions of U.C.A.Section 63A-5-208(4). The bidder shall insert the term 'Special Exception' for that category of work, and shall provide documentation with the subcontractor list describing the bidder's efforts to obtain a bid of a qualified subcontractor at a reasonable cost and why the bidder was unable to obtain a qualified subcontractor bid. The Director must find that the bidder complied in good faith with State law requirements for any 'Special Exception' designation, in order for the bid to be considered. If awarded the contract, the Director shall supervise the bidder's efforts to obtain a qualified subcontractor bid. The amount of the awarded contract may not be adjusted to reflect the actual amount of the subcontractor's bid. Any listing of 'Special Exception' on the sublist form shall also include amount allocated for that work.

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#### **GROUNDS FOR DISQUALIFICATION:**

The Director may not consider any bid submitted by a bidder if the bidder fails to submit a subcontractor list meeting the requirements of State law. Director may withhold awarding the contract to a particular bidder if one or more of the proposed subcontractors are considered by the Director to be unqualified to do the Work or for such other reason in the best interest of the State of Utah. Notwithstanding any other provision in these instructions, if there is a good faith error on the sublist form, at the sole discretion of the Director, the Director may provide notice to the contractor and the contractor shall have 24 hours to submit the correction to the Director. If such correction is submitted timely, then the sublist requirements shall be considered met.

#### CHANGES OF SUBCONTRACTORS SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED ON SUBLIST FORM:

Subsequent to twenty-four hours after the bid opening, the contractor may change its listed subcontractors only after receiving written permission from the Director based on complying with all of the following criteria.

- (1) The contractor has established in writing that the change is in the best interest of the State and that the contractor establishes an appropriate reason for the change, which may include, but not is not limited to, the following reasons: the original subcontractor has failed to perform, or is not qualified or capable of performing, and/or the subcontractor has requested in writing to be released.
- (2) The circumstances related to the request for the change do not indicate any bad faith in the original listing of the subcontractors.
- (3) Any requirement set forth by the Director to ensure that the process used to select a new subcontractor does not give rise to bid shopping.
- (4) Any increase in the cost of the subject subcontractor work is borne by the contractor.
- (5) Any decrease in the cost of the subject subcontractor work shall result in a deductive change order being issued for the contract for such decreased amount.
- (6) The Director will give substantial weight to whether the subcontractor has consented in writing to being removed unless the Contractor establishes that the subcontractor is not qualified for the work.

#### **EXAMPLE:**

Example of a list where there are only four subcontractors:

TYPE OF WORK	SUBCONTRACTOR, "SELF" OR "SPECIAL EXCEPTION"	SUBCONTRACTOR BID AMOUNT	CONT. LICENSE #
ELECTRICAL	ABCD Electric Inc.	\$350,000.00	123456789000
LANDSCAPING	"Self"	300,000.00	123456789000
CONCRETE (ALTERNATE #1)	XYZ Concrete Inc	298,000.00	987654321000
MECHANICAL	"Special Exception" (attach documentation)	Fixed at: 350,000.00	(TO BE PROVIDED AFTER OBTAINING SUBCONTRACTOR)

PURSUANT TO STATE LAW - SUBCONTRACTOR BID AMOUNTS CONTAINED IN THIS SUBCONTRACTOR LIST SHALL NOT BE DISCLOSED UNTIL THE CONTRACT HAS BEEN AWARDED.



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#### SUBCONTRACTORS LIST FAX TO 801-538-3677

TYPE OF WORK	SUBCONTRACTOR, "SELF" OR "SPECIAL EXCEPTION"	SUBCONTRACTOR BID AMOUNT	CONT. LICENSE
alternates. We have listed "Self" or "Spec	ctors as required by the instructions, including tial Exception" in accordance with the instructionately licensed as required by State law.		bid as well as an
	FIRM:		
E:	SIGNED BY:		

DFCM Form 7b 113006

IN THESE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, SHALL BE GROUNDS FOR DFCMS REFUSAL TO ENTER INTO A WRITTEN CONTRACT WITH BIDDER. ACTION MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST BIDDERS BID BOND

AS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY DFCM. ATTACH A SECOND PAGE IF NECESSARY.

#### **FUGITIVE DUST PLAN**

The Contractor will fill out the form and file the original with the Division of Air Quality and a copy of the form with the Division of Facilities Construction & Management, prior to the issuance of any notice to proceed.

The Contractor will be fully responsible for compliance with the Fugitive Dust Control Plan, including the adequacy of the plan, any damages, fines, liability, and penalty or other action that results from noncompliance.

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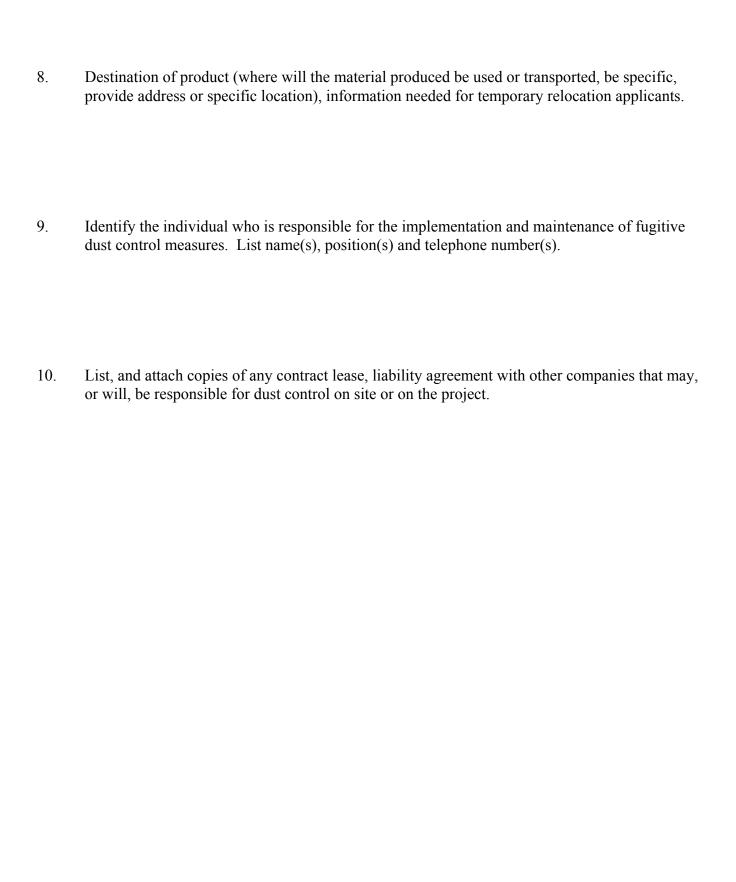
## GUIDANCE THAT MUST BE CONSIDERED IN DEVELOPING AND SUBMITTING A DUST CONTROL PLAN FOR COMPLIANCE WITH R307-309-3, 4, 5, 6, 7

#### Source Information:

1.	Name of your operation (source): provide a name if the source is a construction site.
2.	Address or location of your operation or construction site.
3.	UTM coordinates or Longitude/Latitude of stationary emission points at your operation.
4.	Lengths of the project, if temporary (time period).
5.	Description of process (include all sources of dust and fugitive dust). Please, if necessary, use additional sheets of paper for this description. Be sure to mark it as an attachment.
6.	Type of material processed or disturbed.
7.	Amount of material processed (tons per year, tons per month, lbs./hr., and applicable units).

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## **Description of Fugitive Dust Emission Activities** (Things to consider in addressing fugitive dust control strategies.)

1.	Type of activities (drilling and blasting, road construction, development construction, earth moving and excavation, handling and hauling materials, cleaning and leveling, etc).
2.	List type of equipment generating the fugitive dust.
3.	Diagram the location of each activity or piece of equipment on site. Please attach the diagram.
4.	Provide pictures or drawings of each activity. Include a drawing of the unpaved/paved road network used to move loads "on" and "off" property.
5.	Vehicle miles travels on unpaved roads associated with the activity (average speed).
6.	Type of dust emitted at each source (coal, cement, sand, soil, clay, dust, etc.)
7.	Estimate the size of the release area at which the activity occurs (square miles). For haul or dirt roads include total miles of road in use during the activity.

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### **Description of Fugitive Dust Emission Controls on Site**

Control strategies must be designed to meet 20% opacity or less on site (a lesser opacity may be defined by Approval Order conditions or federal requirements such as NSPS), and control strategies must prevent exceeding 10% opacity from fugitive dust at the property boundary (site boundary) for compliance with R307-309-3.

1.	Types of ongoing emission controls proposed for each activity, each piece of equipment, and haul roads.
2.	Types of additional dust controls proposed for bare, exposed surfaces (chemical stabilization, synthetic cover, wind breaks, vegetative cover, etc).
3.	Method of application of dust suppressant.
4.	Frequency of application of dust suppressant.
5.	Explain what triggers the use of a special control measure other than routine measures already in place, such as covered loads or measures covered by a permit condition (increase in opacity, high winds, citizen complaints, dry conditions, etc).
6.	Explain in detail what control strategies/measures will be implemented off-hours, i.e., Saturdays/Sundays/Holidays, as well as 6 PM to 6 AM each day.

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#### **Description of Fugitive Dust Control Off-site**

Prevent, to the maximum extent possible, deposition of materials, which may create fugitive dust on public and private paved roads in compliance with R307-309-5, 6, 7.

1. Types of emission controls initiated by your operation that are in place "off" property (application of water, covered loads, sweeping roads, vehicle cleaning, etc.).

2. Proposed remedial controls that will be initiated promptly if materials, which may create fugitive dust, are deposited on public and private paved roads.

Phone: (801) 536-4000

FAX:

(801) 536-4099

Submit the Dust Control Plan to:

Executive Secretary Utah Air Quality Board POB 144820 15 North 1950 West Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4820

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#### **Fugitive Dust Control Plan Violation Report**

When a source is found in violation of R307-309-3 or in violation of the Fugitive Dust Control Plan, the course must submit a report to the Executive Secretary within 15 days after receiving a Notice of Violation. The report must include the following information:

- 1. Name and address of dust source.
- 2. Time and duration of dust episode.
- 3. Meteorological conditions during the dust episode.
- 4. Total number and type of fugitive dust activities and dust producing equipment within each operation boundary. If no change has occurred from the existing dust control plan, the source should state that the activity/equipment is the same.
- 5. Fugitive dust activities or dust producing equipment that caused a violation of R-307-309-3 or the sources dust control plan.
- 6. Reasons for failing to control dust from the dust generating activity or equipment.
- 7. New and/or additional fugitive dust control strategies necessary to achieve compliance with R307-309-3, 4, 5, 6, or 7.
- 8. If it can not be demonstrated that the current approved Dust Control Plan can result in compliance with R307-309-3 through 7, the Dust Control Plan must be revised so as to demonstrate compliance with 307-309-3 through 7. Within 30 days of receiving a fugitive dust Notice of Violation, the source must submit the revised Plan to the Executive Secretary for review and approval.

Submit the Dust Control Plan to:

Executive Secretary Phone: (801) 536-4000 Utah Air Quality Board FAX: (801) 536-4099

POB 144820

15 North 1950 West

Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4820

Attachments: DFCM Form FDR R-307-309, Rule 307-309

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#### **CONTRACTOR'S AGREEMENT**

FOR:
THIS CONTRACTOR'S AGREEMENT, made and entered into this day of, 20, by and between the DIVISION OF FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION AND MANAGEMENT, hereinafter referred to as "DFCM", and, incorporated in the State of, incorporated in the State of, and authorized to do business in the State of Utah, hereinafter referred to as "Contractor", whose address is
WITNESSETH: WHEREAS, DFCM intends to have Work performed at
WHEREAS, Contractor agrees to perform the Work for the sum stated herein.
NOW, THEREFORE, DFCM and Contractor for the consideration provided in this Contractor's Agreement, agree as follows:
ARTICLE 1. SCOPE OF WORK. The Work to be performed shall be in accordance with the Contract Documents prepared by and entitled"
The DFCM General Conditions ("General Conditions") dated May 25, 2005 on file at the office of DFCM and available on the DFCM website, are hereby incorporated by reference as part of this Agreement and are included in the specifications for this Project. All terms used in this Contractor's Agreement shall be as defined in the Contract Documents, and in particular, the General Conditions.
The Contractor Agrees to furnish labor, materials and equipment to complete the Work as required in the Contract Documents which are hereby incorporated by reference. It is understood and agreed by the parties hereto that all Work shall be performed as required in the Contract Documents and shall be subject to inspection and approval of DFCM or its authorized representative. The relationship of the Contractor to the DFCM hereunder is that of an independent Contractor.
<b>ARTICLE 2. CONTRACT SUM.</b> The DFCM agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept in full performance of this Contractor's Agreement, the sum of
DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$00), which is the base bid, and which sum also includes the cost of a 100%

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Performance Bond and a 100% Payment Bond as well as all insurance requirements of the Contractor. Said bonds have already been posted by the Contractor pursuant to State law. The required proof of insurance certificates have been delivered to DFCM in accordance with the General Conditions before the execution of this Contractor's Agreement.

ARTICLE 3. TIME OF COMPLETION AND DELAY REMEDY. The Work shall be Substantially Complete by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Contractor agrees to pay liquidated damages in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ per day for each day after expiration of the Contract Time until the Contractor achieves Substantial Completion in accordance with the Contract Documents, if Contractor's delay makes the damages applicable. The provision for liquidated damages is: (a) to compensate the DFCM for delay only; (b) is provided for herein because actual damages can not be readily ascertained at the time of execution of this Contractor's Agreement; (c) is not a penalty; and (d) shall not prevent the DFCM from maintaining Claims for other non-delay damages, such as costs to complete or remedy defective Work.

No action shall be maintained by the Contractor, including its or Subcontractor or suppliers at any tier, against the DFCM or State of Utah for damages or other claims due to losses attributable to hindrances or delays from any cause whatsoever, including acts and omissions of the DFCM or its officers, employees or agents, except as expressly provided in the General Conditions. The Contractor may receive a written extension of time, signed by the DFCM, in which to complete the Work under this Contractor's Agreement in accordance with the General Conditions.

**ARTICLE 4. CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.** The Contract Documents consist of this Contractor's Agreement, the Conditions of the Contract (DFCM General Conditions, Supplementary and other Conditions), the Drawings, Specifications, Addenda and Modifications. The Contract Documents shall also include the bidding documents, including the Notice to Contractors, Instructions to Bidders/Proposers and the Bid/Proposal, to the extent not in conflict therewith and other documents and oral presentations that are documented as an attachment to the contract.

All such documents are hereby incorporated by reference herein. Any reference in this Contractor's Agreement to certain provisions of the Contract Documents shall in no way be construed as to lessen the importance or applicability of any other provisions of the Contract Documents.

**ARTICLE 5. PAYMENT.** The DFCM agrees to pay the Contractor from time to time as the Work progresses, but not more than once each month after the date of Notice to Proceed, and only upon Certificate of the A/E for Work performed during the preceding calendar month, ninety-five percent (95%) of the value of the labor performed and ninety-five percent (95%) of the value of materials furnished in place or on the site. The Contractor agrees to furnish to the DFCM invoices for materials purchased and on the site but not installed, for which the

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Contractor requests payment and agrees to safeguard and protect such equipment or materials and is responsible for safekeeping thereof and if such be stolen, lost or destroyed, to replace same.

Such evidence of labor performed and materials furnished as the DFCM may reasonably require shall be supplied by the Contractor at the time of request for Certificate of Payment on account. Materials for which payment has been made cannot be removed from the job site without DFCM's written approval. Five percent (5%) of the earned amount shall be retained from each monthly payment. The retainage, including any additional retainage imposed and the release of any retainage, shall be in accordance with UCA 13-8-5 as amended. Contractor shall also comply with the requirements of UCA 13-8-5, including restrictions of retainage regarding subcontractors and the distribution of interest earned on the retention proceeds. The DFCM shall not be responsible for enforcing the Contractor's obligations under State law in fulfilling the retention law requirements with subcontractors at any tier.

**ARTICLE 6. INDEBTEDNESS.** Before final payment is made, the Contractor must submit evidence satisfactory to the DFCM that all payrolls, materials bills, subcontracts at any tier and outstanding indebtedness in connection with the Work have been properly paid. Final Payment will be made after receipt of said evidence, final acceptance of the Work by the DFCM as well as compliance with the applicable provisions of the General Conditions.

Contractor shall respond immediately to any inquiry in writing by DFCM as to any concern of financial responsibility and DFCM reserves the right to request any waivers, releases or bonds from Contractor in regard to any rights of Subcontractors (including suppliers) at any tier or any third parties prior to any payment by DFCM to Contractor.

**ARTICLE 7. ADDITIONAL WORK.** It is understood and agreed by the parties hereto that no money will be paid to the Contractor for additional labor or materials furnished unless a new contract in writing or a Modification hereof in accordance with the General Conditions and the Contract Documents for such additional labor or materials has been executed. The DFCM specifically reserves the right to modify or amend this Contractor's Agreement and the total sum due hereunder either by enlarging or restricting the scope of the Work.

**ARTICLE 8. INSPECTIONS.** The Work shall be inspected for acceptance in accordance with the General Conditions.

**ARTICLE 9. DISPUTES.** Any dispute, PRE or Claim between the parties shall be subject to the provisions of Article 7 of the General Conditions. DFCM reserves all rights to pursue its rights and remedies as provided in the General Conditions.

**ARTICLE 10. TERMINATION, SUSPENSION OR ABANDONMENT.** This Contractor's Agreement may be terminated, suspended or abandoned in accordance with the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 11. DFCM'S RIGHT TO WITHHOLD CERTAIN AMOUNT AND MAKE USE THEREOF. The DFCM may withhold from payment to the Contractor such amount as, in DFCM's judgment, may be necessary to pay just claims against the Contractor or Subcontractor at any tier for labor and services rendered and materials furnished in and about the Work. The DFCM may apply such withheld amounts for the payment of such claims in DFCM's discretion. In so doing, the DFCM shall be deemed the agent of Contractor and payment so made by the DFCM shall be considered as payment made under this Contractor's Agreement by the DFCM to the Contractor. DFCM shall not be liable to the Contractor for any such payment made in good faith. Such withholdings and payments may be made without prior approval of the Contractor and may be also be prior to any determination as a result of any dispute, PRE, Claim or litigation.

**ARTICLE 12. INDEMNIFICATION.** The Contractor shall comply with the indemnification provisions of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 13. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACT. The DFCM and Contractor, respectively bind themselves, their partners, successors, assigns and legal representatives to the other party to this Agreement, and to partners, successors, assigns and legal representatives of such other party with respect to all covenants, provisions, rights and responsibilities of this Contractor's Agreement. The Contractor shall not assign this Contractor's Agreement without the prior written consent of the DFCM, nor shall the Contractor assign any moneys due or to become due as well as any rights under this Contractor's Agreement, without prior written consent of the DFCM.

**ARTICLE 14. RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The Contractor accepts the relationship of trust and confidence established by this Contractor's Agreement and covenants with the DFCM to cooperate with the DFCM and A/E and use the Contractor's best skill, efforts and judgment in furthering the interest of the DFCM; to furnish efficient business administration and supervision; to make best efforts to furnish at all times an adequate supply of workers and materials; and to perform the Work in the best and most expeditious and economic manner consistent with the interests of the DFCM.

**ARTICLE 15. AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE AND PERFORM AGREEMENT.** Contractor and DFCM each represent that the execution of this Contractor's Agreement and the performance thereunder is within their respective duly authorized powers.

**ARTICLE 16. ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS.** Except as otherwise provided in the dispute resolution provisions of the General Conditions, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs incurred in any action in the District Court and/or appellate body to enforce this Contractor's Agreement or recover damages or any other action as a result of a breach thereof.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have executed this Contractor's Agreement on the day and year stated hereinabove.

	CONTRACTOR:	
	Signature	Date
	Title:	
State of)		
County of	Please type/print name clearly	
On this day of, 20, personally known to me (or who by me duly sworn (or affirmed), did say the firm and that said document was signed by	proved to me on the basis of satisfactory ev	vidence) and
(SEAL)	Notary Public	
(SEAL)	My Commission Expires	-
APPROVED AS TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS:	DIVISION OF FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION AND MANAG	EMENT
David D. Williams, Jr. Date DFCM Administrative Services Director	Manager Capital Development/Improvements	
APPROVED AS TO FORM: ATTORNEY GENERAL November 30, 2006	APPROVED FOR EXPENDITURE	:
By: Alan S. Bachman Asst Attorney General	Division of Finance	Date

#### PERFORMANCE BOND

(Title 63, Chapter 56, U. C. A. 1953, as Amended)

That			
	, a corporation organized		
, with its principal office in the City of			
Listed (Circular 570, Companies Holding Certificates of Authority			
hereinafter referred to as the "Surety," are held and firmly bound un			
said Principal and Surety bind themselves and their heirs, administra	DOLLARS (\$	) for the p	bayment whereof, the
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Phone:	Bv Ala	an S. Bachman, Ass	t Attorney General

#### PAYMENT BOND

(Title 63, Chapter 56, U. C. A. 1953, as Amended)

#### KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That hereinafter referred to as the "Principal," and			
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#### **Division of Facilities Construction and Management**

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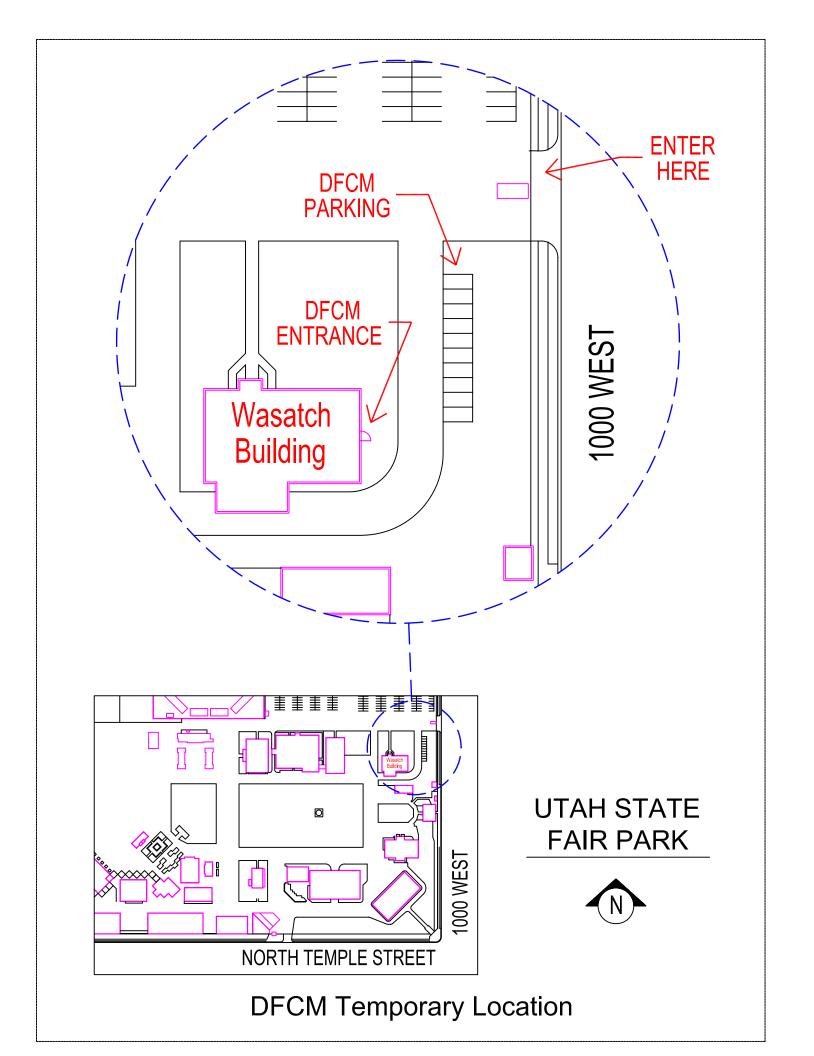


### **Division of Facilities Construction and Management**

**DFCM** 

#### CERTIFICATE OF SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

PROJECT		PROJI	ECT NO:	
AGENCY/INSTITUTION				
AREA ACCEPTED				
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## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BUILDING #2 - HVAC SYSTEM UPGRADE SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

**DFCM PROJECT # 06170310** 



State of Utah—Department of Administrative Services

## DIVISION OF FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION AND MANAGEMENT

4110 State Office Building / Salt Lake City, Utah 84114 / 538-3018

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

PREPARED BY

WHW ENGINEERING INC. 1354 EAST 3300 SOUTH, SUITE 200 SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84106 PHONE: (801) 466-4021 FAX: (801) 466-8536

March 2007

WHW Engineering Project # 06066

#### **DIVISION 1 - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

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#### **SECTION 01100 - SUMMARY**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Work covered by the Contract Documents.
  - 2. Owner's occupancy requirements.
  - 3. Work restrictions.
  - 4. Specification formats and conventions.

#### 1.3 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Project Identification: Department of Environmental Quality Building #2 HVAC System Upgrade.
  - 1. Project Location: 168 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah 84134
- B. Owner: State of Utah.
  - 1. Owner's Representative: DFCM.
- C. Architect: WHW Engineering 1354 East 3300 South #200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84106.
- D. The Work consists of the following:
  - 1. The removal and replacement of the two (2) existing cooling only rooftop units.
  - 2. The removal and replacement of the heating hot water air eliminator and compression tank.
  - 3. Removing and replacing HVAC water treatment, inline hot water pumps (2), heating hot water supply and return piping, insulation, valves, supports and hangers within the existing boiler room.
  - 4. All items shown on the contract documents.
  - 5. Removing and replacing the existing gas fired hot water boiler.
  - 6. Provide new medium pressure ductwork modifications for connection between existing ductwork and new rooftop units. Provide new flex connection.
  - 7. DDC upgrade and connections for controlling new boiler, pumps and roof top units.

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#### 1.4 TYPE OF CONTRACT

A. Project will be constructed under a single prime contract.

#### 1.5 USE OF PREMISES

- A. General: Each Contractor shall have use of premises for construction operations as indicated in project documents.
- B. Use of Site: Limit use of premises to areas within the Contract limits indicated. Do not disturb portions of Project site beyond areas in which the Work is indicated.
  - 1. Owner Occupancy: Allow for Owner occupancy of Project site and use by the public.
  - 2. Driveways and Entrances: Keep driveways loading areas, and entrances serving premises clear and available to Owner, Owner's employees, and emergency vehicles at all times. Do not use these areas for parking or storage of materials.
    - a. Schedule deliveries to minimize use of driveways and entrances.
    - b. Schedule deliveries to minimize space and time requirements for storage of materials and equipment on-site.
- C. Use of Existing Building: Maintain existing building in a weathertight condition throughout construction period. Repair damage caused by construction operations. Protect building and its occupants during construction period.

#### 1.6 OWNER'S OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Full Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy site and existing building during entire construction period. Cooperate with Owner during construction operations to minimize conflicts and facilitate Owner usage. Perform the Work so as not to interfere with Owner's day-to-day operations. Maintain existing exits, unless otherwise indicated.
  - Maintain access to existing walkways, corridors, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities. Do not close or obstruct walkways, corridors, or other occupied or used facilities without written permission from Owner and authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 2. Provide not less than 72 hours' notice to Owner of activities that will affect Owner's operations and do not proceed without written permission from Owner.

#### 1.7 WORK RESTRICTIONS

- A. On-Site Work Hours: Work shall be generally performed inside the existing building during normal business working hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except otherwise indicated, or agreed upon between owner and contractor.
- B. Existing Utility Interruptions: Do not interrupt utilities serving facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary utility services according to requirements indicated:

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- 1. Notify Owner not less than 72 hours in advance of proposed utility interruptions.
- 2. Do not proceed with utility interruptions without Owner's written permission.
- 3. If possible, schedule shut-downs for after hours and week ends.

### 1.8 SPECIFICATION FORMATS AND CONVENTIONS

- A. Specification Format: The Specifications are organized into Divisions and Sections using the 16-division format and CSI/CSC's "MasterFormat" numbering system.
  - Section Identification: The Specifications use Section numbers and titles to help cross-referencing in the Contract Documents. Sections in the Project Manual are in numeric sequence; however, the sequence is incomplete because all available Section numbers are not used. Consult the table of contents at the beginning of the Project Manual to determine numbers and names of Sections in the Contract Documents.
  - 2. Division 1: Sections in Division 1 govern the execution of the Work of all Sections in the Specifications.
- B. Specification Content: The Specifications use certain conventions for the style of language and the intended meaning of certain terms, words, and phrases when used in particular situations. These conventions are as follows:
  - 1. Abbreviated Language: Language used in the Specifications and other Contract Documents is abbreviated. Words and meanings shall be interpreted as appropriate. Words implied, but not stated, shall be inferred as the sense requires. Singular words shall be interpreted as plural, and plural words shall be interpreted as singular where applicable as the context of the Contract Documents indicates.
  - 2. Imperative mood and streamlined language are generally used in the Specifications. Requirements expressed in the imperative mood are to be performed by Contractor. Occasionally, the indicative or subjunctive mood may be used in the Section Text for clarity to describe responsibilities that must be fulfilled indirectly by Contractor or by others when so noted.
    - a. The words "shall," "shall be," or "shall comply with," depending on the context, are implied where a colon (:) is used within a sentence or phrase.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

**END OF SECTION 01100** 

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# **SECTION 01140 - WORK RESTRICTIONS**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 USE OF PREMISES

- A. Use of Site: Limit use of premises to work in areas indicated. Do not disturb portions of site beyond areas in which the Work is indicated.
  - 1. Limits: Confine constructions operations to area of disturbance as indicated on drawings.
  - 2. Coordinate with the Owner for scheduling work and hours of noise sensitive operations and procedures.
  - 3. Develop detailed Demolition and Construction Schedules outlining phased demolition and construction activities. Coordinate with the Owner for phasing of all Demolition and Construction activities, including the moving of employees and public functions to provide the least amount of disruption for continuing normal business activities.
  - 4. Protect all adjacent areas from noise and construction dust and debris.
  - 5. Maintain employee and public access of the site as required and at all times during normal business hours.
  - 6. Protect employees and the public from potentially dangerous or harmful construction activities at all times.
  - 7. After hours and weekend work may be required during the course of the project. Coordinate with the Owner's security personnel for access of the building and site during non-business hours. Provide security for construction personnel as required beyond the Owner's security forces and procedures.
  - 8. Phase rooftop unit removal so only one unit is down at a time. Remove 2<sup>nd</sup> rooftop unit only after new rooftop unit 1 is installed and operating.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

(Not Used)

**PART 3 - EXECUTION** 

(Not Used)

**END OF SECTION 01140** 

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# **SECTION 01200 - DEFINITIONS AND STANDARDS**

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. General: Except as specifically defined otherwise, the following definitions shall supplement definitions of the Contract, General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions and other general contract documents, and apply generally to the work.
- B. General Requirements: The provisions of Division-1 sections, General Requirements, apply to the entire work of the Contract.
- C. Indicated: Shown on drawing by notes, graphics or schedules, or written into other portions of contract documents. Terms such as "shown", "noted", "scheduled", and "specified" have same meaning as "indicated", and are used to assist the reader in locating particular information.
- D. Directed, Requested, Approved, Accepted, etc.: These terms imply "by the Engineer", unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Approved by Engineer: In no case releases Contractor from responsibility to fulfill requirements of contract documents.
- F. Project Site: Space available to Contractor at location of project, either exclusively or to be shared with separate contractors, for performance of work.
- G. Furnish: Supply and deliver to project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, and similar subsequent requirements.
- H. Install: Operations at project site, including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protecting, cleaning and similar requirements.
  - 1. Provide: Furnish and install, complete and ready for intended use.
- I. Installer: Entity (firm or person) engaged to install work, by Contractor, subcontractor or sub-sub contractor. Installers are required to be skilled in work they are engaged to install.
- J. Specification Text Format: Underscoring facilities scan reading, no other meaning. Imperative language is directed at Contractor, unless otherwise noted.
- K. Overlapping/Conflicting Requirements: Most stringent (generally) requirement written directly into the contract documents is intended and will be enforced, unless specifically detailed language written into the contract documents clearly indicates that a less stringent requirement is acceptable. Refer uncertainties to the Engineer for a decision before proceeding.

- 1. Where optional requirements are specified in a parallel manner, option is intended to be Contractor's unless otherwise indicated.
- L. Minimum Requirements: Indicated requirements are for a specific minimum acceptable level of quality/quantity, as recognized in the industry. Actual work must comply (within specified tolerances), or may exceed minimums within reasonable limits. Refer uncertainties to Engineer before proceeding.
- M. Abbreviations, Plural Words: Abbreviations, where not defined in contract documents, will be interpreted to mean the normal construction industry terminology, determined by recognized grammatical rules, by the Engineer. Plural words will be interpreted as singular and singular words will be interpreted as plural where applicable for context of contract of documents.
- N. Testing laboratory: An independent entity engaged for the project to provide inspections, tests, interpretations, reports and similar services.

## 1.2 STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS

- A. Industry Standards: Applicable standards of construction industry have same force and effect on performance of the work as if copied directly into contract documents or bound and published therewith. Standards referenced in contract documents or in governing regulations have precedence over non-referenced standards, insofar as different standards may contain overlapping or conflicting requirements. Comply with standards in effect as of date of contract documents, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Abbreviations: Where abbreviations or acronyms are used in contract documents, they mean the well recognized name of entity in building construction industry; refer uncertainties to Engineer before proceeding, or consult "Encyclopedia of Associations" by Gale Research Co.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS** 

(Not Used)

**PART 3 - EXECUTION** 

(Not Used)

# SECTION 01300 - PROCEDURES AND CONTROLS

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION

A. Coordination: Coordinate various elements of the work and entities engaged to perform work; and coordinate the work with existing facilities/conditions, and with work by separate contractors and by Owner.

# 1.2 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations to extent printed information is more detailed or stringent than requirements contained directly in contract documents.
- B. Timing: Install work during time and under conditions which will ensure best possible results, coordinated with required inspection and testing. Timing is of the up most importance.

# 1.3 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

A. General: Clean each element of work at time of installation. Provide sufficient maintenance and protection during construction to ensure freedom from damage and deterioration at time of substantial completion.

**PART 2 - PRODUCTS** 

(Not Used)

**PART 3 - EXECUTION** 

(Not Used)

# **SECTION 01330 - SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for submitting Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples, and other submittals.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Divisions 01 through 16 Sections for specific requirements for submittals in those Sections.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

A. Action Submittals: Written and graphic information that requires Engineer's responsive action.

### 1.4 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

- A. Coordination: Coordinate preparation and processing of submittals with performance of construction activities.
  - 1. Coordinate each submittal with fabrication, purchasing, testing, delivery, other submittals, and related activities that require sequential activity.
  - 2. Coordinate transmittal of different types of submittals for related parts of the Work so processing will not be delayed because of need to review submittals concurrently for coordination.
    - a. Engineer reserves the right to withhold action on a submittal requiring coordination with other submittals until related submittals are received.
- B. Processing Time: Allow enough time for submittal review, including time for resubmittals, as follows. Time for review shall commence on Engineer's receipt of submittal. No extension of the Contract Time will be authorized because of failure to transmit submittals enough in advance of the Work to permit processing, including resubmittals.

- 1. Initial Review: Allow 7 days for initial review of each submittal. Allow additional time if coordination with subsequent submittals is required. Engineer will advise Contractor when a submittal being processed must be delayed for coordination.
- 2. Resubmittal Review: Allow 7 days for review of each resubmittal.
- C. Identification: Place a permanent label or title block on each submittal for identification.
  - 1. Indicate name of firm or entity that prepared each submittal on label or title block.
  - 2. Provide a space approximately on label or beside title block to record Contractor's review and approval markings and action taken by Engineer.
  - 3. Include the following information on label for processing and recording action taken:
    - a. Project name.
    - b. Date.
    - c. Name and address of Engineer.
    - d. Name and address of Contractor.
    - e. Name and address of subcontractor.
    - f. Name and address of supplier.
    - g. Name of manufacturer.
    - h. Submittal number or other unique identifier, including revision identifier.
      - 1) Submittal number shall use Specification Section number followed by a decimal point and then a sequential number (e.g., 15515.01). Resubmittals shall include an alphabetic suffix after another decimal point (e.g., 15515.01A).
    - i. Number and title of appropriate Specification Section.
    - j. Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate.
    - k. Location(s) where product is to be installed, as appropriate.
    - I. Other necessary identification.
- D. Deviations: Highlight or encircle, or otherwise specifically identify deviations from the Contract Documents on submittals.
- E. Transmittal: Package each submittal individually and appropriately for transmittal and handling. Transmit each submittal using a transmittal form.
- F. Resubmittals: Make resubmittals in same form and number of copies as initial submittal.
  - 1. Note date and content of previous submittal.
  - 2. Note date and content of revision in label or title block and clearly indicate extent of revision.
  - 3. Resubmit submittals until they are approved.
- G. Distribution: Furnish copies of final submittals to manufacturers, subcontractors, suppliers, fabricators, installers, authorities having jurisdiction, and others as necessary for performance of construction activities. Show distribution on transmittal forms.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. General: Prepare and submit Action Submittals required by individual Specification Sections.
- B. Product Data: Collect information into a single submittal for each element of construction and type of product or equipment.
  - 1. Mark each copy of each submittal to show which products and options are applicable.
  - 2. Include the following information, as applicable:
    - a. Manufacturer's written recommendations.
    - b. Manufacturer's product specifications.
    - c. Manufacturer's installation instructions.
    - d. Standard color charts.
    - e. Manufacturer's catalog cuts.
    - f. Wiring diagrams showing factory-installed wiring.
    - g. Printed performance curves.
    - h. Operational range diagrams.
    - i. Compliance with specified referenced standards.
    - j. Testing by recognized testing agency.
    - k. Application of testing agency labels and seals.
    - I. Notation of coordination requirements.
  - 3. Number of Copies: Submit five copies of Product Data, unless otherwise indicated. Engineer will return four copies. Mark up and retain one returned copy as a Project Record Document.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 CONTRACTOR'S REVIEW

- A. Review each submittal and check for coordination with other Work of the Contract and for compliance with the Contract Documents. Note corrections and field dimensions. Mark with approval stamp before submitting to Engineer.
- B. Approval Stamp: Stamp each submittal with a uniform, approval stamp. Include Project name and location, submittal number, Specification Section title and number, name of reviewer, date of Contractor's approval, and statement certifying that submittal has been reviewed, checked, and approved for compliance with the Contract Documents.

# 3.2 ENGINEER'S / ACTION

- A. General: Engineer will not review submittals that do not bear Contractor's approval stamp and will return them without action.
- B. Action Submittals: Engineer will review each submittal, make marks to indicate corrections or modifications required, and return it. Engineer will stamp each submittal with an action stamp and will mark stamp appropriately to indicate action taken.
- C. Partial submittals are not acceptable, will be considered nonresponsive, and will be returned without review.
- D. Submittals not required by the Contract Documents may not be reviewed and may be discarded.

# **SECTION 01732 - SELECTIVE DEMOLITION**

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - Demolition and removal of heating hot water piping, pumps, Hydronic specialties, valves, chemical treatment, etc. in the existing boiler room. See demolition drawings.
  - 2. Removal of two existing rooftop cooling only units.
  - 3. Removal of gas fired hot water boiler.
  - 4. Duct removal and modifications at the two roof top units.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Summary" for use of premises and Owner-occupancy requirements.

### 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. Remove: Detach items from existing construction and legally dispose of them off-site, unless indicated to be removed and salvaged or removed and reinstalled.
- B. Existing to Remain: Existing items of construction that are not to be removed and that are not otherwise indicated to be removed, removed and salvaged, or removed and reinstalled.

### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Demolition Firm Qualifications: An experienced firm that has specialized in demolition work similar in material and extent to that indicated for this Project.
- B. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with governing EPA notification regulations before beginning selective demolition. Comply with hauling and disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Standards: Comply with ANSI A10.6 and NFPA 241.

## 1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Owner will occupy building during demolition. Conduct selective demolition so Owner's operations will not be disrupted.
  - Comply with requirements specified in Division 1 Section "Summary."
- B. Conditions existing at time of inspection for bidding purpose will be maintained by Owner as far as practical.
- C. Notify Engineer of discrepancies between existing conditions and Drawings before proceeding with selective demolition.
- D. Hazardous Materials: It is not expected that hazardous materials will be encountered in the Work.
  - 1. If materials suspected of containing hazardous materials are encountered, do not disturb; immediately notify Engineer and Owner. Owner will remove hazardous materials under a separate contract.
- E. Storage or sale of removed items or materials on-site is not permitted.
- F. Utility Service: Maintain existing utilities indicated to remain in service and protect them against damage during selective demolition operations.
  - 1. Maintain fire-protection facilities in service during selective demolition operations.

## 1.6 WARRANTY

A. Existing Warranties: Remove, replace, patch, and repair materials and surfaces cut or damaged during selective demolition, by methods and with materials so as not to void existing warranties.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that utilities have been disconnected and capped.
- B. Survey existing conditions and correlate with requirements indicated to determine extent of selective demolition required.
- C. When unanticipated mechanical, electrical, or structural elements that conflict with intended function or design are encountered, investigate and measure the nature and extent of conflict. Promptly submit a written report to Engineer.

D. Perform surveys as the Work progresses to detect hazards resulting from selective demolition activities.

### 3.2 UTILITY SERVICES AND MECHANICAL/ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

- A. Existing Services/Systems: Maintain services/systems indicated to remain and protect them against damage during selective demolition operations.
  - 1. Comply with requirements for existing services/systems interruptions specified in Division 1 Section "Summary."
- B. Service/System Requirements: Locate, identify, disconnect, and seal or cap off indicated utility services and mechanical/electrical systems serving areas to be selectively demolished.

### 3.3 PREPARATION

- A. Site Access and Temporary Controls: Conduct selective demolition and debrisremoval operations to ensure minimum interference with roads, streets, walks, walkways, and other adjacent occupied and used facilities.
  - 1. Comply with requirements for access and protection specified in Division 1 Section "Temporary Facilities and Controls."
- B. Temporary Facilities: Provide temporary barricades and other protection required to prevent injury to people and damage to adjacent buildings and facilities to remain.
  - 1. Provide protection to ensure safe passage of people around selective demolition area and to and from occupied portions of building.
  - 2. Provide temporary weather protection at the rooftop locations, if needed, to prevent water leakage and damage to structure and interior areas.
  - 3. Protect walls, ceilings, floors, and other existing finish work that are to remain or that are exposed during selective demolition operations.
  - 4. When removing boiler, pumps and hydronic piping and specialties from the building, protect furniture, furnishing, walls, ceilings, doors, carpet, etc.

## 3.4 SELECTIVE DEMOLITION, GENERAL

- A. General: Demolish and remove existing construction only to the extent required by new construction and as indicated. Use methods required to complete the Work within limitations of governing regulations and as follows:
  - 1. Cut or drill from the exposed or finished side into concealed surfaces to avoid marring existing finished surfaces.
  - 2. Do not use cutting torches until work area is cleared of flammable materials. Maintain portable fire-suppression devices during flame-cutting operations.
  - 3. Maintain adequate ventilation when using cutting torches.

- 4. Remove decayed, vermin-infested, or otherwise dangerous or unsuitable materials and promptly dispose of off-site.
- 5. Dispose of demolished items and materials promptly.
- B. Existing Items to Remain: Protect construction indicated to remain against damage and soiling during selective demolition.

### 3.5 DISPOSAL OF DEMOLISHED MATERIALS

- A. General: Except for items or materials indicated to be reused, salvaged, reinstalled, or otherwise indicated to remain Owner's property, remove demolished materials from Project site and legally dispose of them in an EPA-approved landfill.
  - 1. Do not allow demolished materials to accumulate on-site.
  - 2. Remove and transport debris in a manner that will prevent spillage on adjacent surfaces and areas.
- B. Disposal: Transport demolished materials off Owner's property and legally dispose of them.
- C. Coordinate with Owner if any removed items need to be given to Owner.

### 3.6 CLEANING

A. Clean adjacent structures and improvements of dust, dirt, and debris caused by selective demolition operations. Return adjacent areas to condition existing before selective demolition operations began.

# SECTION 01770 - CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for contract closeout, including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Inspection procedures.
  - 2. Warranties.
  - 3. Final cleaning.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Project Record Documents" for submitting Record Drawings, Record Specifications, and Record Product Data.
  - 2. Divisions 1 through 16 Sections for specific closeout and special cleaning requirements for the Work in those Sections.

### 1.3 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

- A. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List items below that are incomplete in request.
  - 1. Prepare a list of items to be completed and corrected (punch list), the value of items on the list, and reasons why the Work is not complete.
  - 2. Advise Owner of pending insurance changeover requirements.
  - 3. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
  - 4. Obtain and submit releases permitting Owner unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
  - 5. Prepare and submit Project Record Documents, operation and maintenance manuals, Final Completion construction photographs, damage surveys, and similar final record information.
  - 6. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra materials, and similar items to location designated by Owner. Label with manufacturer's name and model number where applicable.
  - 7. Complete startup testing of systems.

- 8. Submit test/adjust/balance records.
- 9. Terminate and remove temporary facilities from Project site, along with construction tools and similar elements.
- 10. Submit changeover information related to Owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.
- 11. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touchup painting.
- 12. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for inspection for Substantial Completion. On receipt of request, Engineer will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Engineer will prepare the Certificate of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify Contractor of items, either on Contractor's list or additional items identified by Engineer, that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
  - 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.
  - 2. Results of completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for Final Completion.

### 1.4 FINAL COMPLETION

- A. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting final inspection for determining date of Final Completion, complete the following:
  - 1. Submit a final Application for Payment according to General Conditions.
  - 2. Submit certified copy of Engineer's Substantial Completion inspection list of items to be completed or corrected (punch list), endorsed and dated by Engineer. The certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance.
  - 3. Instruct Owner's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for final inspection for acceptance. On receipt of request, Engineer will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Engineer will prepare a final Certificate for Payment after inspection or will notify Contractor of construction that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
  - 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.

### 1.5 WARRANTIES

A. Submittal Time: Submit written warranties on request of Engineer for designated portions of the Work where commencement of warranties other than date of Substantial Completion is indicated.

B. Organize warranty documents into an orderly sequence based on the table of contents of the Project Manual. Bind in operation and maintenance manuals.

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 MATERIALS

A. Cleaning Agents: Use cleaning materials and agents recommended by manufacturer or fabricator of the surface to be cleaned. Do not use cleaning agents that are potentially hazardous to health or property or that might damage finished surfaces.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### 3.1 FINAL CLEANING

- A. General: Provide final cleaning. Conduct cleaning and waste-removal operations to comply with local laws and ordinances and Federal and local environmental and antipollution regulations.
- B. Cleaning: Employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to condition expected in an average commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Complete the following cleaning operations before requesting inspection for certification of Substantial Completion for entire Project or for a portion of Project: This is for areas only disturbed by this contractor.
    - a. Clean Project site, yard, and grounds, in areas used by construction activities, including areas of rubbish, waste material, litter, and other foreign substances.
    - b. Remove petrochemical spills, stains, and other foreign deposits.
    - c. Remove tools, construction equipment, machinery, and surplus material from Project site.
    - d. Clean exposed exterior and interior hard-surfaced finishes damaged or marked during construction.
    - e. Vacuum carpet and similar soft surfaces in areas used by contractors. Shampoo if visible soil or stains remain.
    - f. Remove labels that are not permanent from equipment, piping, etc.
    - g. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred, exposed finishes and surfaces. Replace finishes and surfaces that cannot be satisfactorily repaired or restored or that already show evidence of repair or restoration.
      - 1) Do not paint over "UL" and similar labels, including mechanical and electrical nameplates.

- h. Wipe surfaces of mechanical and electrical equipment and similar equipment. Remove excess lubrication, paint, etc. and other foreign substances.
- i. Leave Project clean.
- C. Comply with safety standards for cleaning. Do not burn waste materials. Do not bury debris or excess materials on Owner's property. Do not discharge volatile, harmful, or dangerous materials into drainage systems. Remove waste materials from Project site and dispose of lawfully.

# <u>SECTION 01781 - PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS</u>

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for Project Record Documents, including the following:
  - 1. Record Drawings.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Closeout Procedures" for general closeout procedures.
  - 2. Divisions 1 through 16 Sections for specific requirements for Project Record Documents of the Work in those Sections.

### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Record Drawings: Comply with the following:
  - 1. Number of Copies: Submit one set of marked-up Record Prints.

### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 RECORD DRAWINGS

- A. Record Prints: Maintain one set of black-line white prints of the Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings.
  - 1. Preparation: Mark Record Prints to show the actual installation where installation varies from that shown originally. Require individual or entity who obtained record data, whether individual or entity is Installer, subcontractor, or similar entity, to prepare the marked-up Record Prints.
    - a. Give particular attention to information on concealed elements that would be difficult to identify or measure and record later.
    - b. Accurately record information in an understandable drawing technique.

- c. Record data as soon as possible after obtaining it. Record and check the markup before enclosing concealed installations.
- 2. Content: Types of items requiring marking include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - a. Dimensional changes to Drawings.
  - b. Revisions to details shown on Drawings.
  - c. Revisions to routing of piping.
  - d. Actual equipment locations.
  - e. Changes made by Change Order or Change Directive.
  - f. Changes made following Engineer's written orders.
  - g. Details not on the original Contract Drawings.
  - h. Field records for variable and concealed conditions.
  - i. Record information on the Work that is shown only schematically.
- 3. Mark the Contract Drawings completely and accurately.
- Mark record sets with erasable, red-colored pencil. Use other colors to distinguish between changes for different categories of the Work at same location.
- 5. Mark important additional information that was either shown schematically or omitted from original Drawings.
- 6. Note Construction Change Directive numbers, alternate numbers, Change Order numbers, and similar identification, where applicable.

### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 RECORDING AND MAINTENANCE

A. Recording: Maintain one copy of each submittal during the construction period for Project Record Document purposes. Post changes and modifications to Project Record Documents as they occur; do not wait until the end of Project.

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15950	TESTING, ADJUSTING AND BALANCING

# <u>SECTION 15010 - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS</u>

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 GENERAL:

A. General Conditions and Division 01 apply to this Division.

### 1.2 SCOPE:

### A. Includes -

- 1. Furnish all labor, materials, and equipment necessary for the completion of the mechanical and plumbing scope of work.
- 2. Furnish and install all motors specified in this Division and be responsible for the proper operation of electrical powered equipment furnished by this Division.
- 3. Furnish exact location of electrical connections and information on motor controls to Electrical Design Build Contractor.
- 4. Mechanical Contractor shall obtain the services of independent Test and Balance Agency.
- 5. Placing the upgraded heating and cooling systems into full operation and continuing their operation during each working day of testing and balancing.
- 6. Air balance, final adjustment and test run.
- 7. The satisfactory performance of the completed systems is a requirement of this specification.

### 1.3 SITE INSPECTION:

- A. The Contractor shall examine the site and understand the conditions which may affect the performance of work of this Division before submitting proposals for this work.
- B. No subsequent allowance for time or money will be considered for any consequence related to failure to examine existing site conditions.

## 1.4 DRAWINGS:

- A. Mechanical drawings show general arrangement of piping, equipment, etc; however, locations are to be regarded as shown diagrammatically only. Follow as closely as actual building construction and work of other trades will permit.
- B. Because of the small scale of mechanical drawings, it is not possible to indicate all offsets, fittings, and accessories which may be required. Investigate existing structural and finished conditions affecting this work and arrange work accordingly, providing such fittings, valves, and accessories required to meet conditions.
- C. If changes in location of piping, equipment, etc. are required due to lack of coordination of work under this division, such changes shall be made without

charge. Contractor shall review drawings with state agencies having jurisdiction and any changes required by them shall be brought to the attention of the Engineer prior to bidding or commencement of work.

# 1.5 CODE REQUIREMENTS, FEES, AND PERMITS

- A. The work shall be installed in accordance with the following applicable codes, ordinances and standards unless otherwise specified. The codes and standards shall include but not be limited to and be of the latest and current editions.
  - 1. American Boiler and Affiliated Industries (AB and AI)
  - 2. American Gas Association (AGA)
  - 3. Air Movement and Control Association (AMCA)
  - 4. American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
  - 5. Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Institute (ARI)
  - 6. American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) ASHRAE 90.1-2004
  - 7. American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)
  - 8. American Society of Testing Materials (ASTM)
  - 9. American Standards Association (ASA)
  - 10. American Water Works Association (AWWA)
  - 11. American Welding Society (AWS)
  - 12. Associated Air Balance Council (AABC)
  - 13. Heat Exchange Institute (HEI)
  - 14. Hydraulic Institute (HI)
  - 15. BR
  - 16. National Electrical Code (NEC)
  - 17. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)
  - 18. Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning contractors National Association (SMACNA)
  - 19. Underwriters Laboratories (UL)
  - 20. International Building Code (IBC) 2006 Ed
  - 21. International Mechanical Code (IMC) 2006 Ed
  - 22. International Plumbing Code (IPC) with Utah Amendments 2006 Ed
  - 23. International Energy Conservation Code (IECC) 2006 Ed
  - 24. Utah State Safety Orders (OSHA/UOSH)
  - 25. Utah Fire Rating Bureau
  - 26. Utah Boiler and Pressure Vessel Law
  - 27. Utah Air Conservation Regulations/Waste Disposal regulations.
  - 28. ASHRAE Ventilation STD.62-2004
  - 29. DFCM Standards
  - 30. ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code
- B. Should drawings conflict with any code, the code shall govern. If drawings and specifications establish a quality exceeding the code, the drawings and specifications shall govern. If conflicts do exist among the drawings, specifications and codes, the same shall be brought to the attention of the Engineer in writing prior to bidding, otherwise Contractor shall comply with applicable codes.

C. The latest edition of all codes shall be used.

### 1.6 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL FOR MECHANICAL SYSTEMS

- A. Upon completion of work and before final payment, Contractor shall furnish and deliver to the Owner, through the Engineer, installation, operation and maintenance manuals with instructions for all new materials and equipment used in the building. The contractor shall provide three (3) hard copies of the manuals, and three (3) CD's with electronic copies of the manuals. Electronic information shall be .PDF format. The CD's shall include the same information as the hard copies, and shall be organized in the same manner with electronic bookmarks for each section. CD case and the CD itself shall be labeled the same as the hard copies of the manuals.
- B. Bind Operation and Maintenance Manual for Mechanical Systems in a hard-backed piano hinge loose-leaf binder with strong sturdy cover. The project name shall be on the spine and the front of the binder. The front of the binder shall include the following information:

OPERATION
AND
MAINTENANCE
MANUAL
for MECHANICAL SYSTEMS of
(Name of Project)
(Location of Project)
(Date of Project Award)
(Name of Architect)

## C. Introduction

- 1. Title page including name of project, project number, date awarded and date of substantial completion.
- 2. Second page shall contain the names, phone numbers and addresses of Architect, Consulting Engineers, Mechanical Contractor, and General Contractor.
- 3. Third page shall include a Table of Contents for the entire manual.
- D. First Section Summary information including:
  - 1. First page shall contain the contractor's warranties.
  - 2. Second page shall contain a list of names, addresses and phone numbers of contractors and all sub-contractors and work to which each was assigned.
  - 3. Final page or pages shall contain an equipment list. The list shall contain each item of equipment or material for which a submittal was required giving ID or tag no as contained on the drawings make and model No. Serial No. Identification No. Location in building, function along with the name, address, and phone number of the supplier.

- E. Second Section Mechanical Equipment O&M data including:
  - 1. Mechanical maintenance schedule, including a lubrication list when necessary.
  - 2. Mechanical Equipment Operation and Maintenance Data including:
    - a. Equipment descriptions
    - b. Detailed installation instruction, operating and maintenance instructions. Instructions include in a step by step manner identifying start-up, operating, shutdown and emergency action sequence sufficiently clear so a person unfamiliar with the equipment could perform its operations.
    - c. Equipment drawings, performance curves, operating characteristics, etc.
    - d. Name addresses and phone number of manufacturer, fabricator and local vender clearly printed or stamped on cover.
    - e. Complete parts listing which include catalog number, serial number, contract number or other accurate provision for ordering replacement and spare parts.
    - f. Certified drawings, where applicable, showing assembly of parts and general dimensions.
  - 3. Approved Mechanical submittals
- F. Third Section Plumbing Equipment O&M data including:
  - 1. Section shall contain general product catalog cuts, as well as exploded view drawings with parts lists for all valves and other items with multiple parts.
  - 2. Approved Plumbing submittals
- G. Fourth Section Controls O&M data including:
  - 1. Sequence of Operation
  - Description of each operating system included location of switches, breakers, thermostats, and control devices. Provide a single line diagram, showing set points, normal operating parameters for all loads, pressures, temperatures and flow check points; Describe all alarms and cautions for operation.
  - 3. Provide schematic control diagrams, panel diagrams, wiring diagrams, etc. for each separate fan system, chilled water system, boiler, exhaust air system, pumps, etc. Each control diagram shall show a schematic representation of mechanical equipment and location of start-stop switches, insertion thermostats, thermometers, pressure gauges, automatic valves, etc. The correct reading for each control instrument shall be marked on the diagram.
- H. The Fifth Section shall contain a complete air and water test and balance report. The report shall contain the name, address and phone number of the agency.

- I. Drawings and reproducible masters of drawings as required in individual Specification Sections are not to be bound in volumes but are to be delivered separate with the maintenance manuals.
- J. See the following checklist for assistance in assembling manual:

Item#	Description	Y, NA	N,	or
1.	3 ring heavy duty binder with Project name, number and date on cover and project name on spine.			
2.	O&M manual on CD (with label on CD matching label on manual). Electronic copy shall be a PDF file with bookmarks that match the tabs in the hard copy.			
3.	Title Page [including project name, number, address, date awarded, date of substantial completion]			
4.	Second Page Contact List [including architect (if applicable), mechanical engineer, mechanical contractor, and general contractor (if applicable)]			
5.	Table of Contents			
6.	Section 1 - Summary			
A.	Warranty			
B.	Mechanical's Sub-contractor List			
C.	Vendor List			
D.	Equipment List			
7.	Section 2 – Mechanical Equipment			
A.	Maintenance Schedule (including lubrication list)			
В.	Mechanical Equipment O&M Data (for each piece of equipment submitted) per specifications			
C.	Approved mechanical submittals			
8.	Section 3 – Plumbing Equipment			
A.	Plumbing equipment O&M data			
B.	Approved plumbing submittals			
9.	Section 4 - Controls			
A.	Sequence of Operation			
B.	Controls diagrams			
C.	Controls Equipment			
10.	Section 5 – Test and Balance Report			
A.	Complete Test and Balance Report per specifications			

## 1.7 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS:

- A. Contractor shall instruct building maintenance personnel in the operation and maintenance of the installed mechanical systems utilizing the Operation and Maintenance Manual when so doing.
- B. Minimum instruction periods shall be Four (4) Hours.

C. Instruction periods shall occur before final inspection when systems are properly working and before final payment is made.

# 1.8 RECORD DRAWINGS:

- A. Contractor shall keep an up-to-date set of mechanical and plumbing drawings in his custody showing all changes in red, clearly defined and neatly drafted by him. At the end of construction, he shall turn these drawings over to the Engineer. Record drawings must be completed and submitted prior to final inspection.
- B. See Division 1, Section 01770, "Closeout Procedures."

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

(Not Used)

**PART 3 - EXECUTION** 

(Not Used)

# SECTION 15050 - BASIC MECHANICAL MATERIALS AND METHODS

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Piping materials and installation instructions common to most piping systems.
  - 2. Dielectric fittings.
  - 3. Grout.
  - 4. Mechanical demolition.
  - 5. Equipment installation requirements common to equipment sections.
  - 6. Painting and finishing.
  - 7. Concrete bases.
  - 8. Supports and anchorages.

### 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. Finished Spaces: Spaces other than mechanical and electrical equipment rooms, furred spaces, unheated spaces immediately below roof, spaces above ceilings, crawlspaces, and tunnels.
- B. Exposed, Interior Installations: Exposed to view indoors. Examples include finished occupied spaces and mechanical equipment rooms.
- C. Exposed, Exterior Installations: Exposed to view outdoors or subject to outdoor ambient temperatures and weather conditions.
- Concealed, Interior Installations: Concealed from view and protected from physical contact by building occupants. Examples include above ceilings, crawl space, and tunnel.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Steel Pipe Welding: Qualify processes and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX, "Welding and Brazing Qualifications."
  - 1. Comply with provisions in ASME B31 Series, "Code for Pressure Piping."
  - 2. Certify that each welder has passed AWS qualification tests for welding processes involved and that certification is current.

# 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Deliver pipes and tubes with factory-applied end caps. Maintain end caps through shipping, storage, and handling to prevent pipe end damage and to prevent entrance of dirt, debris, and moisture.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. In other Part 2 articles where subparagraph titles below introduce lists, the following requirements apply for product selection:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the manufacturers specified.

# 2.2 PIPE, TUBE, AND FITTINGS

- A. Refer to individual Division 15 piping Sections for pipe, tube, and fitting materials and joining methods.
- B. Pipe Threads: ASME B1.20.1 for factory-threaded pipe and pipe fittings.

# 2.3 **JOINING MATERIALS**

- A. Refer to individual Division 15 piping Sections for special joining materials not listed below.
- B. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
  - 1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos-free, 1/8-inch maximum thickness unless thickness or specific material is indicated.
    - a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
    - b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
  - 2. AWWA C110, rubber, flat face, 1/8 inch thick, unless otherwise indicated; and full-face or ring type, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.
- E. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8, BCuP Series, copper-phosphorus alloys for general-duty brazing, unless otherwise indicated.

F. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.

### 2.4 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. Description: Combination fitting of copper alloy and ferrous materials with threaded, solder-joint, plain, or weld-neck end connections that match piping system materials.
- B. Insulating Material: Suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- C. Dielectric Unions: Factory-fabricated, union assembly, for 250-psig minimum working pressure at 180 deg F.
  - 1. Available Manufacturers:
    - a. Capitol Manufacturing Co.
    - b. Central Plastics Company.
    - c. Eclipse, Inc.
    - d. Epco Sales, Inc.
    - e. Hart Industries, International, Inc.
    - f. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.
    - g. Zurn Industries, Inc.; Wilkins Div.
    - h. Prior Approved Equal.

### 2.5 GROUT

- A. Description: ASTM C 1107, Grade B, nonshrink and nonmetallic, dry hydraulic-cement grout.
  - 1. Characteristics: Post-hardening, volume-adjusting, nonstaining, noncorrosive, nongaseous, and recommended for interior and exterior applications.
  - 2. Design Mix: 5000-psi, 28-day compressive strength.
  - 3. Packaging: Premixed and factory packaged.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 PIPING SYSTEMS - COMMON REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install new hot water piping in the boiler room according to the following requirements and Division 15 Sections specifying piping systems.
- B. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Drawings do not show every offset, or bend that may be required. Indicated locations and arrangements were used to size pipe and calculate friction loss, expansion, pump sizing, and other design considerations. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved in writing.

- C. Install all new piping at right angles and parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited.
- D. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- E. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- F. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- G. Install piping to allow application of insulation.
- H. Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.
- I. Verify final equipment locations for roughing-in.
- J. Refer to equipment specifications in other Sections of these Specifications for roughing-in requirements.

### 3.2 PIPING JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Join pipe and fittings according to the following requirements and Division 15 Sections specifying piping systems.
- B. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- C. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.
- D. Soldered Joints: Copper pipe for water and drains. Apply ASTM B 813, water-flushable flux, unless otherwise indicated, to tube end. Construct joints according to ASTM B 828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook," using lead-free solder alloy complying with ASTM B 32.
- E. Brazed Joints: Copper pipe for water and drains. Construct joints according to AWS's "Brazing Handbook," "Pipe and Tube" Chapter, using copper-phosphorus brazing filler metal complying with AWS A5.8.
- F. Threaded Joints: NPS 2" and smaller. Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:
  - 1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dry seal threading is specified.
  - 2. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged. Do not use pipe sections that have cracked or open welds.

- G. Welded Joints: NPS 2-1/2 and larger. Construct joints according to AWS D10.12, using qualified processes and welding operators according to Part 1 "Quality Assurance" Article.
- H. Flanged Joints: NPS 2-1/2 and larger. Select appropriate gasket material, size, type, and thickness for service application. Install gasket concentrically positioned. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads.

### 3.3 PIPING CONNECTIONS

- A. Make connections according to the following, unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Install unions, in piping NPS 2 and smaller, adjacent to each valve and at final connection to each piece of equipment.
  - 2. Install flanges or welded joints, in piping NPS 2-1/2 and larger, adjacent to flanged valves and at final connection to each piece of equipment.

# 3.4 EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION - COMMON REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install equipment to allow maximum possible headroom unless specific mounting heights are not indicated.
- B. Install equipment level and plumb, parallel and perpendicular to other building systems and components in exposed interior spaces.
- C. Install mechanical equipment to facilitate service, maintenance, and repair or replacement of components. Connect equipment for ease of disconnecting, with minimum interference to other installations.
- D. Install equipment to allow right of way for piping installed at required slope.

### 3.5 PAINTING

A. Damage and Touchup: Repair marred and damaged factory-painted finishes with materials and procedures to match original factory finish.

### 3.6 CONCRETE BASES

- A. Concrete Bases: Anchor equipment to concrete base according to equipment manufacturer's written instructions and according to seismic codes at Project.
  - 1. Construct concrete bases of dimensions indicated, but not less than 4 inches larger in both directions than supported unit.
  - 2. Install dowel rods to connect concrete base to concrete floor. Install dowel rods on 18-inch centers around the full perimeter of the base.
  - 3. Install epoxy-coated anchor bolts for supporting pumps and expansion tank.

- 4. Place and secure anchorage devices. Use supported equipment manufacturer's setting drawings, templates, diagrams, instructions, and directions furnished with items to be embedded.
- 5. Install anchor bolts to elevations required for proper attachment to supported equipment.
- 6. Install anchor bolts according to anchor-bolt manufacturer's written instructions.

## 3.7 GROUTING

- A. Mix and install grout for mechanical equipment base bearing surfaces, pump and other equipment base plates, and anchors.
- B. Clean surfaces that will come into contact with grout.
- C. Provide forms as required for placement of grout.
- D. Avoid air entrapment during placement of grout.
- E. Place grout, completely filling equipment bases.
- F. Place grout on concrete bases and provide smooth bearing surface for equipment.
- G. Place grout around anchors.
- H. Cure placed grout.

# SECTION 15062 - HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR HVAC PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following hangers and supports for HVAC system piping and equipment:
  - 1. Steel pipe hangers and supports.
  - 2. Thermal-hanger shield inserts.
  - 3. Fastener systems.
  - 4. Equipment supports.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 15 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment" for vibration isolation devices.

## 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. MSS: Manufacturers Standardization Society for The Valve and Fittings Industry Inc.
- B. Terminology: As defined in MSS SP-90, "Guidelines on Terminology for Pipe Hangers and Supports."

# 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Design equipment supports capable of supporting combined operating weight of supported equipment and connected systems and components.
- B. Design seismic-restraint hangers and supports for piping and equipment.

# 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Steel pipe hangers and supports.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. In other Part 2 articles where titles below introduce lists, the following requirements apply to product selection:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the manufacturers specified.

## 2.2 STEEL PIPE HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

A. Description: MSS SP-58, Types 1 through 58, factory-fabricated components. Refer to Part 3 "Hanger and Support Applications" Article for where to use specific hanger and support types.

### B. Manufacturers:

- 1. B-Line Systems, Inc.; a division of Cooper Industries.
- 2. Grinnell Corp.
- 3. Piping Technology & Products, Inc.
- 4. AAA Technology & Specialties Co., Inc.
- 5. Bergen-Power Pipe Supports.
- 6. National Pipe Hanger Corporation.
- 7. Carpenter & Paterson, Inc.

## 2.3 THERMAL-HANGER SHIELD INSERTS

A. Description: 100-psig- minimum, compressive-strength insulation insert encased in sheet metal shield.

### B. Manufacturers:

- 1. Carpenter & Paterson, Inc.
- 2. ERICO/Michigan Hanger Co.
- 3. PHS Industries, Inc.
- 4. Pipe Shields, Inc.
- 5. Rilco Manufacturing Company, Inc.
- C. Insulation-Insert Material for Cold Piping: Water-repellent treated, ASTM C 533, Type I calcium silicate with vapor barrier.
- D. Insulation-Insert Material for Hot Piping: Water-repellent treated, ASTM C 533, Type I calcium silicate.
- E. For Clevis Hangers: Insert and shield shall cover lower 180 degrees of pipe.
- F. Insert Length: Extend 2 inches beyond sheet metal shield for piping operating below ambient air temperature.

## 2.4 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. Structural Steel: ASTM A 36/A 36M, steel plates, shapes, and bars; black and galvanized.
- B. Grout: ASTM C 1107, factory-mixed and -packaged, dry, hydraulic-cement, nonshrink and nonmetallic grout; suitable for interior and exterior applications.
  - 1. Properties: Nonstaining, noncorrosive, and nongaseous.
  - 2. Design Mix: 5000-psi, 28-day compressive strength.

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 HANGER AND SUPPORT APPLICATIONS

- A. Specific hanger and support requirements are specified in Sections specifying piping systems and equipment.
- B. Comply with MSS SP-69 for pipe hanger selections and applications that are not specified in piping system Sections.
- C. Use nonmetallic coatings on attachments for electrolytic protection where attachments are in direct contact with copper tubing.
- D. Horizontal-Piping Hangers and Supports: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
  - 1. Adjustable, Steel Clevis Hangers (MSS Type 1): For suspension of insulated stationary pipes, NPS 1/2 to NPS 30.
  - 2. Pipe Hangers (MSS Type 5): For suspension of pipes, NPS 1/2 to NPS 4, to allow off-center closure for hanger installation before pipe erection.
  - 3. U-Bolts (MSS Type 24): For support of heavy pipes, NPS 1/2 to NPS 30.
  - 4. Clips (MSS Type 26): For support of insulated pipes not subject to expansion or contraction.
- E. Vertical-Piping Clamps: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
  - 1. Extension Pipe or Riser Clamps (MSS Type 8): For support of pipe risers, NPS 3/4 to NPS 20.
  - 2. Carbon- or Alloy-Steel Riser Clamps (MSS Type 42): For support of pipe risers, NPS 3/4 to NPS 20, if longer ends are required for riser clamps.
- F. Hanger-Rod Attachments: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
  - 1. Steel Clevises (MSS Type 14): For 120 to 450 deg F piping installations.
  - 2. Malleable-Iron Sockets (MSS Type 16): For attaching hanger rods to various types of building attachments.

- 3. Steel Weldless Eye Nuts (MSS Type 17): For 120 to 450 deg F piping installations.
- G. Building Attachments: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
  - 1. Welded-Steel Brackets: For support of pipes for suspending from above by using clip and rod. Use one of the following for indicated loads:
    - a. Light (MSS Type 31): 750 lb.
    - b. Medium (MSS Type 32): 1500 lb.
- H. Shields: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
  - 1. Protection Shields (MSS Type 40): 12" long to prevent crushing insulation.
- I. Spring Hangers and Supports: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
  - 1. Variable-Spring Hangers (MSS Type 51): Preset to indicated load and limit variability factor to 25 percent to absorb expansion and contraction of piping system from hanger located at pumps.

### 3.2 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Steel Pipe Hanger Installation: Comply with MSS SP-69 and MSS SP-89. Install hangers, supports, clamps, and attachments as required to properly support piping from building structure.
- B. Thermal-Hanger Shield Installation: Install in pipe hanger or shield for insulated piping.
- C. Install hangers and supports complete with necessary bolts, rods, nuts, washers, and other accessories.
- D. Install hangers and supports to allow controlled thermal and seismic movement of piping systems.
- E. Install additional attachments at concentrated loads, including valves at changes in direction of piping.
- F. Load Distribution: Install hangers and supports so piping live and dead loads and stresses from movement will not be transmitted to connected equipment.
- G. Pipe Slopes: Install hangers and supports to provide pipe slopes and so maximum pipe deflections allowed by ASME B31.9 for building services piping are not exceeded.
- H. Insulated Piping: Comply with the following:
  - 1. Install MSS SP-58, Type 40, protective shields on cold piping with vapor barrier. Shields shall span an arc of 180 degrees.

- 2. Shield Dimensions for Pipe: Not less than the following:
  - a. NPS 1/4 to NPS 3-1/2: 12 inches long and 0.048 inch thick.
- 3. Insert Material: Length at least as long as protective shield.

## 3.3 ADJUSTING

- A. Hanger Adjustments: Adjust hangers to distribute loads equally on attachments and to achieve indicated slope of pipe.
- B. Trim excess length of continuous-thread hanger and support rods to 1-1/2 inches.

## 3.4 PAINTING

- A. Touch Up: Clean field welds and abraded areas of shop paint. Paint exposed areas immediately after erecting hangers and supports. Use same materials as used for shop painting. Comply with SSPC-PA 1 requirements for touching up field-painted surfaces.
  - 1. Apply paint by brush or spray to provide minimum dry film thickness of 2.0 mils.
- B. Galvanized Surfaces: Clean welds, bolted connections, and abraded areas and apply galvanizing-repair paint to comply with ASTM A 780.

END OF SECTION 15062

# <u>SECTION 15074 - VIBRATION AND SEISMIC CONTROLS FOR HVAC PIPING AND EQUIPMENT</u>

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Spring hangers.
  - 2. Restraining braces and cables.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. IBC: International Building Code.
- B. ICC-ES: ICC-Evaluation Service.

#### 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Seismic-Restraint Loading:
  - 1. Site Class: As defined in the IBC.
  - 2. Assigned Seismic Use Group or Building Category: As defined in the IBC.
    - a. Component Importance Factor: 1.5.

## 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Include rated load, rated deflection, and overload capacity for each vibration isolation device.
  - 2. Illustrate and indicate style, material, strength, fastening provision, and finish for each type and size of seismic-restraint component used.
    - a. Tabulate types and sizes of seismic restraints, complete with report numbers and rated strength in tension and shear as evaluated by an evaluation service member of ICC-ES or an agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.

- b. Annotate to indicate application of each product submitted and compliance with requirements.
- B. Delegated-Design Submittal: For vibration isolation and seismic-restraint details indicated to comply with performance requirements and design criteria, including analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation.
  - 1. Design Calculations: Calculate static and dynamic loading due to equipment weight and operation, seismic forces required to select vibration isolators, seismic restraints, and for designing vibration isolation bases.
  - 2. Riser Supports: Include riser diagrams and calculations showing anticipated expansion and contraction at each support point, initial and final loads on building structure, spring deflection changes, and seismic loads. Include certification that riser system has been examined for excessive stress and that none will exist.
  - 3. Vibration Isolation Base Details: Detail overall dimensions, including anchorages and attachments to structure and to supported equipment. Include auxiliary motor slides and rails, base weights, equipment static loads, power transmission, component misalignment, and cantilever loads.
  - 4. Seismic-Restraint Details:
    - a. Design Analysis: To support selection and arrangement of seismic restraints. Include calculations of combined tensile and shear loads.
    - b. Details: Indicate fabrication and arrangement. Detail attachments of restraints to the restrained items and to the structure. Show attachment locations, methods, and spacings. Identify components, list their strengths, and indicate directions and values of forces transmitted to the structure during seismic events. Indicate association with vibration isolation devices.
    - c. Preapproval and Evaluation Documentation: By an evaluation service member of ICC-ES or an agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, showing maximum ratings of restraint items and the basis for approval (tests or calculations).
- C. Welding certificates.
- D. Qualification Data: For professional engineer and testing agency.
- E. Field quality-control test reports.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with seismic-restraint requirements in the IBC unless requirements in this Section are more stringent.
- B. Welding: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code Steel."
- C. Seismic-restraint devices shall have horizontal and vertical load testing and analysis and shall bear anchorage preapproval OPA number from OSHPD, preapproval by ICC-ES, or preapproval by another agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction,

showing maximum seismic-restraint ratings. Ratings based on independent testing are preferred to ratings based on calculations. If preapproved ratings are not available, submittals based on independent testing are preferred. Calculations (including combining shear and tensile loads) to support seismic-restraint designs must be signed and sealed by a qualified professional engineer.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 VIBRATION ISOLATORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Amber/Booth Company, Inc.
  - 2. Kinetics Noise Control.
  - 3. Mason Industries.
  - 4. Vibration Eliminator Co., Inc.
  - 5. Prior approved equal.
- B. Spring Isolators: Freestanding, laterally stable, open-spring isolators.
  - 1. Outside Spring Diameter: Not less than 80 percent of the compressed height of the spring at rated load.
  - 2. Minimum Additional Travel: 50 percent of the required deflection at rated load.
  - 3. Lateral Stiffness: More than 80 percent of rated vertical stiffness.
  - 4. Overload Capacity: Support 200 percent of rated load, fully compressed, without deformation or failure.
  - 5. Baseplates: Factory drilled for bolting to structure and bonded to 1/4-inch- thick, rubber isolator pad attached to baseplate underside. Baseplates shall limit floor load to 500 psig.
  - 6. Top Plate and Adjustment Bolt: Threaded top plate with adjustment bolt and cap screw to fasten and level equipment.
- C. Housed Spring Mounts: Housed spring isolator with integral seismic snubbers.
  - 1. Housing: Ductile-iron or steel housing to provide all-directional seismic restraint.
  - 2. Base: Factory drilled for bolting to structure.
  - 3. Snubbers: Vertically adjustable to allow a maximum of 1/4-inch travel up or down before contacting a resilient collar.

## 2.2 VIBRATION ISOLATION EQUIPMENT BASES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Amber/Booth Company, Inc.
  - 2. Kinetics Noise Control.
  - 3. Mason Industries.

- 4. Vibration Eliminator Co., Inc.
- 5. Prior approved equal.
- B. Steel Base: Factory-fabricated, welded, structural-steel bases and rails.
  - Design Requirements: Lowest possible mounting height with not less than 1-inch clearance above the floor. Include equipment anchor bolts and auxiliary motor slide bases or rails.
    - a. Include supports for suction elbows for pumps.
  - 2. Support Brackets: Factory-welded steel brackets on frame for outrigger isolation mountings and to provide for anchor bolts and equipment support.

## 2.3 SEISMIC-RESTRAINT DEVICES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Amber/Booth Company, Inc.
  - 2. Hilti, Inc.
  - 3. Kinetics Noise Control.
  - 4. Mason Industries.
  - 5. Unistrut; Tyco International, Ltd.
  - 6. Prior approved equal.
- B. General Requirements for Restraint Components: Rated strengths, features, and applications shall be as defined in reports by an evaluation service member of ICC-ES or an agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 1. Structural Safety Factor: Allowable strength in tension, shear, and pullout force of components shall be at least four times the maximum seismic forces to which they will be subjected.
- C. Snubbers: Factory fabricated using welded structural-steel shapes and plates, anchor bolts, and replaceable resilient isolation washers and bushings.
  - 1. Anchor bolts for attaching to concrete shall be seismic-rated, drill-in, and studwedge or female-wedge type.
  - 2. Resilient Isolation Washers and Bushings: Oil- and water-resistant neoprene.
  - 3. Maximum 1/4-inch air gap, and minimum 1/4-inch- thick resilient cushion.
- D. Restraint Cables: -steel cables with end connections made of steel assemblies with thimbles, brackets, swivel, and bolts designed for restraining cable service; and with a minimum of two clamping bolts for cable engagement.
- E. Hanger Rod Stiffener: Steel tube or steel slotted-support-system sleeve with internally bolted connections or Reinforcing steel angle clamped to hanger rod.

- F. Bushings for Floor-Mounted Equipment Anchor Bolts: Neoprene bushings designed for rigid equipment mountings, and matched to type and size of anchor bolts and studs.
- G. Bushing Assemblies for Wall-Mounted Equipment Anchorage: Assemblies of neoprene elements and steel sleeves designed for rigid equipment mountings, and matched to type and size of attachment devices used.
- H. Resilient Isolation Washers and Bushings: One-piece, molded, oil- and water-resistant neoprene, with a flat washer face.
- I. Mechanical Anchor Bolts: Drilled-in and stud-wedge or female-wedge type in zinccoated steel for interior applications and stainless steel for exterior applications. Select anchor bolts with strength required for anchor and as tested according to ASTM E 488. Minimum length of eight times diameter.
- J. Adhesive Anchor Bolts: Drilled-in and capsule anchor system containing polyvinyl or urethane methacrylate-based resin and accelerator, or injected polymer or hybrid mortar adhesive. Provide anchor bolts and hardware with zinc-coated steel for interior applications and stainless steel for exterior applications. Select anchor bolts with strength required for anchor and as tested according to ASTM E 488.

## 2.4 FACTORY FINISHES

- A. Finish: Manufacturer's standard paint applied to factory-assembled and -tested equipment before shipping.
  - 1. Powder coating on springs and housings.
  - 2. All hardware shall be galvanized.
  - 3. Baked enamel or powder coat for metal components on isolators for interior use.
  - 4. Color-code or otherwise mark vibration isolation and seismic- and wind-control devices to indicate capacity range.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and equipment to receive vibration isolation and seismic- and windcontrol devices for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance.
- B. Examine roughing-in of reinforcement and cast-in-place anchors to verify actual locations before installation.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 APPLICATIONS

- A. Hanger Rod Stiffeners: Install hanger rod stiffeners where required to prevent buckling of hanger rods due to seismic forces.
- B. Strength of Support and Seismic-Restraint Assemblies: Where not indicated, select sizes of components so strength will be adequate to carry present and future static and seismic loads within specified loading limits.

#### 3.3 VIBRATION-CONTROL AND SEISMIC-RESTRAINT DEVICE INSTALLATION

## A. Equipment Restraints:

- 1. Install seismic snubbers on HVAC equipment mounted on vibration isolators. Locate snubbers as close as possible to vibration isolators and bolt to equipment base and supporting structure.
- 2. Install resilient bolt isolation washers on equipment anchor bolts where clearance between anchor and adjacent surface exceeds 0.125 inch.
- 3. Install seismic-restraint devices using methods approved by an evaluation service member of ICC-ES or an agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction providing required submittals for component.

## B. Piping Restraints:

- 1. Comply with requirements in MSS SP-127.
- 2. Space lateral supports a maximum of 40 feet o.c., and longitudinal supports a maximum of 80 feet o.c.
- 3. Brace a change of direction longer than 12 feet.
- C. Install cables so they do not bend across edges of adjacent equipment or building structure.
- D. Install seismic-restraint devices using methods approved by an evaluation service member of ICC-ES or an agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction providing required submittals for component.
- E. Install bushing assemblies for anchor bolts for floor-mounted equipment, arranged to provide resilient media between anchor bolt and mounting hole in concrete base.
- F. Install bushing assemblies for mounting bolts for wall-mounted equipment, arranged to provide resilient media where equipment or equipment-mounting channels are attached to wall.

#### G. Drilled-in Anchors:

 Identify position of reinforcing steel and other embedded items prior to drilling holes for anchors. Do not damage existing reinforcing or embedded items during coring or drilling. Notify the structural engineer if reinforcing steel or other embedded items are encountered during drilling. Locate and avoid prestressed tendons, electrical and telecommunications conduit, and gas lines.

- 2. Do not drill holes in concrete or masonry until concrete, mortar, or grout has achieved full design strength.
- 3. Wedge Anchors: Protect threads from damage during anchor installation. Heavy-duty sleeve anchors shall be installed with sleeve fully engaged in the structural element to which anchor is to be fastened.
- 4. Adhesive Anchors: Clean holes to remove loose material and drilling dust prior to installation of adhesive. Place adhesive in holes proceeding from the bottom of the hole and progressing toward the surface in such a manner as to avoid introduction of air pockets in the adhesive.
- 5. Set anchors to manufacturer's recommended torque, using a torque wrench.
- 6. Install zinc-coated steel anchors for interior and stainless-steel anchors for exterior applications.

## 3.4 ACCOMMODATION OF DIFFERENTIAL SEISMIC MOTION

A. Install flexible connections in piping where they cross seismic joints, where adjacent sections or branches are supported by different structural elements, and where the connections terminate with connection to equipment that is anchored to a different structural element from the one supporting the connections as they approach equipment. Comply with requirements in Division 15 Section "Hydronic Piping" for piping flexible connections.

#### 3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing Agency: Leave a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- B. Perform tests and inspections.
- C. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Provide evidence of recent calibration of test equipment by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 2. Schedule test with Owner, through Engineer, before connecting anchorage device to restrained component (unless postconnection testing has been approved), and with at least seven days' advance notice.
  - 3. Obtain Engineer's approval before transmitting test loads to structure. Provide temporary load-spreading members.
  - 4. Measure isolator restraint clearance.
  - 5. Measure isolator deflection.
  - 6. Verify snubber minimum clearances.
  - 7. If a device fails test, modify all installations of same type and retest until satisfactory results are achieved.
- D. Remove and replace malfunctioning units and retest as specified above.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.

## 3.6 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust isolators after piping system is at operating weight.
- B. Adjust active height of spring isolators.
- C. Adjust restraints to permit free movement of equipment within normal mode of operation.

## 3.7 DEMONSTRATION

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain air-mounting systems. Refer to Division 1 Section "Demonstration and Training."

**END OF SECTION 15074** 

## **SECTION 15075 - MECHANICAL IDENTIFICATION**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following mechanical identification materials and their installation:
  - 1. Equipment nameplates by equipment Manufacturer.
  - 2. Equipment signs Contractor supplied and installed for pumps, boiler and rooftop units.
  - 3. Pipe markers for all new piping in boiler room.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. ASME Compliance: Comply with ASME A13.1, "Scheme for the Identification of Piping Systems," for letter size, length of color field, colors, and viewing angles of identification devices for piping.

#### 1.4 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate installation of identifying devices with completion of covering and painting of surfaces where devices are to be applied.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION DEVICES

- A. Equipment Nameplates: Metal, with data engraved or stamped, for permanent attachment on equipment. This is to be installed at the factory by the equipment manufacturer.
  - 1. Data:
    - a. Manufacturer, product name, model number, and serial number.
    - b. Capacity, operating and power characteristics, and essential data.
    - c. Labels of tested compliances.
  - 2. Location: Accessible and visible.

- 3. Fasteners: As required to mount on equipment.
- B. Equipment Signs: ASTM D 709, Type I, cellulose, paper-base, phenolic-resin-laminate engraving stock; Grade ES-2, black surface, black phenolic core, with white melamine subcore, unless otherwise indicated. Fabricate in sizes required for message. Provide holes for mechanical fastening.
  - 1. Data: Contract equipment symbol, capacity, i.e. GPM, CFM, FTHD, HP, etc.
  - 2. Engraving: Manufacturer's standard letter style, 1/4" or larger with terms to match equipment identification.
  - 3. Thickness: 1/8 inch, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 4. Fasteners: Self-tapping, stainless-steel screws.

## 2.2 PIPING IDENTIFICATION DEVICES

- A. Manufactured Pipe Markers, General: Preprinted, color-coded, with lettering indicating service, and showing direction of flow.
  - 1. Colors: Comply with ASME A13.1, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Lettering: Use piping system terms indicated and abbreviate only as necessary for each application length.
  - 3. Pipes with OD, Including Insulation, Less Than 6 Inches: Full-band pipe markers extending 360 degrees around pipe at each location.
  - 4. Pipes with OD, Including Insulation, 6 Inches and Larger: Either full-band or strip-type pipe markers at least three times letter height and of length required for label.
  - 5. Arrows: Integral with piping system service lettering to accommodate both directions; or as separate unit on each pipe marker to indicate direction of flow.
- B. Self-Adhesive Pipe Markers: Plastic with pressure-sensitive, permanent-type, self-adhesive back.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 APPLICATIONS, GENERAL

A. Products specified are for applications referenced in other Division 15 Sections. If more than single-type material, device, or label is specified for listed applications, selection is Installer's option.

#### 3.2 EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION

- A. Install and permanently fasten equipment nameplates on each major item of mechanical equipment at the factory by the equipment manufacturer. Locate nameplates where accessible and visible. Include nameplates for the following general categories of equipment:
  - 1. Boiler, air eliminator, expansion tank, rooftop air handling units.

- 2. Pumps.
- B. Install equipment signs with screws on or near each major item of mechanical equipment. Locate signs where accessible and visible.
  - 1. Identify mechanical equipment with black equipment markers with white lettering.
  - 2. Letter Size: Minimum 1/4 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 24 inches, 1/2 inch for viewing distances up to 72 inches, and proportionately larger lettering for greater viewing distances. Include secondary lettering two-thirds to three-fourths the size of principal lettering.
  - 3. Data: Indicate operational requirements, capacities, GPM, CFM, HP, and equipment symbols.
  - 4. Include signs for the following general categories of equipment:
    - a. Rooftop air handling units.
    - b. Boiler.
    - c. Pumps, air eliminator, expansion tank, chemical feed.

## 3.3 PIPING IDENTIFICATION

- A. Install manufactured pipe markers indicating service on each piping system. Install with flow indication arrows showing direction of flow. Provide tape over insulation and markers over the tape.
  - 1. Identification Paint: Use for contrasting background.
- B. Locate pipe markers and color bands as indicated:
  - 1. Near each valve and control device.
  - 2. Near each branch connection, excluding short takeoffs for fixtures and terminal units. Where flow pattern is not obvious, mark each pipe at branch.
  - 3. Near penetrations through walls, floors, and nonaccessible enclosures.
  - 4. Near major equipment items and other points of origination and termination.

#### 3.4 ADJUSTING

A. Relocate mechanical identification materials and devices that have become visually blocked by other work.

## 3.5 CLEANING

A. Clean faces of mechanical identification devices and glass frames of valve schedules.

**END OF SECTION 15075** 

## **SECTION 15082 - PLUMBING INSULATION**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Water make-up piping insulation.
  - 2. Insulation Materials:
    - a. Calcium silicate (for installing between insulation and hangers).
    - b. Mineral fiber.
  - 3. Insulating cements.
  - 4. Adhesives.
  - 5. Lagging adhesives.
  - 6. Sealants.
  - 7. Factory-applied jackets.
  - 8. Tapes.
  - 9. Securements.
  - 10. Corner angles.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - Division 15 Section "HVAC Insulation."

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include thermal conductivity and thickness.
- B. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Installer Qualifications: Skilled mechanics who have successfully completed an apprenticeship program or another craft training program certified by the Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.

- B. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: Insulation and related materials shall have fire-test-response characteristics indicated, as determined by testing identical products per ASTM E 84, by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Factory label insulation and jacket materials and adhesive, mastic, tapes, and cement material containers, with appropriate markings of applicable testing and inspecting agency.
  - 1. Insulation Installed Indoors: Flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Packaging: Insulation material containers shall be marked by manufacturer with appropriate ASTM standard designation, type and grade, and maximum use temperature.

#### 1.6 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate size and location of supports, hangers, and insulation shields specified in Division 15 Section "Hangers and Supports."

#### 1.7 SCHEDULING

A. Schedule insulation application after pressure testing systems. Insulation application may begin on segments that have satisfactory test results.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 INSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Comply with requirements in Part 3 schedule articles for where insulating materials shall be applied.
- B. Products shall not contain asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.

#### C. Calcium Silicate:

- 1. Preformed Pipe Sections: Flat-, curved-, and grooved-block sections of noncombustible, inorganic, hydrous calcium silicate with a non-asbestos fibrous reinforcement. Comply with ASTM C 533, Type I.
- 2. Flat-, curved-, and grooved-block sections of noncombustible, inorganic, hydrous calcium silicate with a non-asbestos fibrous reinforcement. Comply with ASTM C 533, Type I.

## D. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation:

1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:

- a. Johns Manville; Micro-Lok.
- b. Fibrex Insulations Inc.; Coreplus 1200.
- c. Knauf Insulation; 1000(Pipe Insulation.
- d. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley-K.
- e. Owens Corning; Fiberglas Pipe Insulation.
- f. Prior approved equal.

#### 2.2 INSULATING CEMENTS

- A. Mineral-Fiber Insulating Cement: Comply with ASTM C 195.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Insulco, Division of MFS, Inc.; Triple I.
    - b. P. K. Insulation Mfg. Co., Inc.; Super-Stik.
    - c. Prior approved equal.

## 2.3 ADHESIVES

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials and substrates and for bonding insulation to itself and to surfaces to be insulated, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Calcium Silicate Adhesive: Fibrous, sodium-silicate-based adhesive with a service temperature range of 50 to 800 deg F.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products. Division of ITW: CP-97.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 81-27/81-93.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 290.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-30.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; 760.
    - f. Prior approved equal.
- C. Mineral-Fiber Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-82.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 85-20.
    - c. ITW TACC, Division of Illinois Tool Works; S-90/80.
    - d. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 225.
    - e. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-25.
    - f. Prior approved equal.

#### 2.4 LAGGING ADHESIVES

A. Description: Comply with MIL-A-3316C Class I, Grade A and shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-52.
  - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 81-42.
  - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 130.
  - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 11-30.
  - e. Vimasco Corporation; 136.
  - f. Prior approved equal.
- 2. Fire-resistant, water-based lagging adhesive and coating for use indoors to adhere fire-resistant lagging cloths over equipment and pipe insulation.
- 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 50 to plus 180 deg F.
- 4. Color: White.

## 2.5 SEALANTS

#### A. Joint Sealants:

- 1. Joint Sealant Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-76.
  - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 30-45.
  - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 405.
  - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 44-05.
  - e. Pittsburgh Corning Corporation; Pittseal 444.
  - f. Vimasco Corporation; 750.
  - g. Prior approved equal.
- 2. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
- 3. Permanently flexible, elastomeric sealant.
- 4. Service Temperature Range: Minus 100 to plus 300 deg F.
- 5. Color: White or gray.
- B. ASJ Flashing Sealants, and Vinyl, PVDC, and PVC Jacket Flashing Sealants:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-76.
    - b. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
  - 3. Fire- and water-resistant, flexible, elastomeric sealant.
  - 4. Service Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 250 deg F.
  - 5. Color: White.

## 2.6 FACTORY-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Insulation system schedules indicate factory-applied jackets on various applications. When factory-applied jackets are indicated, comply with the following:
  - 1. ASJ: White, kraft-paper, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with aluminum-foil backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.
  - 2. ASJ-SSL: ASJ with self-sealing, pressure-sensitive, acrylic-based adhesive covered by a removable protective strip; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.
  - 3. FSK Jacket: Aluminum-foil, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with kraft-paper backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type II.

## 2.7 TAPES

- A. ASJ Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive, complying with ASTM C 1136.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0835.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 104 and 105.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 428 AWF ASJ.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1540 CW Plus, 1542 CW Plus, and 1542 CW Plus/SQ.
    - e. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 11.5 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
  - 7. ASJ Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of ASJ tape.
- B. FSK Tape: Foil-face, vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive; complying with ASTM C 1136.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0827.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 110 and 111.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 491 AWF FSK.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1525 CW, 1528 CW, and 1528 CW/SQ.
    - e. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 6.5 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
  - 7. FSK Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of FSK tape.

- C. PVC Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching field-applied PVC jacket with acrylic adhesive. Suitable for indoor and outdoor applications.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0555.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 130.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 370 White PVC tape.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1506 CW NS.
    - e. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Width: 2 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 6 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 64 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 500 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 18 lbf/inch in width.

## 2.8 SECUREMENTS

#### A. Bands:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Childers Products; Bands.
  - b. PABCO Metals Corporation; Bands.
  - c. RPR Products, Inc.; Bands.
  - d. Prior approved equal.
- 2. Stainless Steel: ASTM A 167 or ASTM A 240/A 240M, Type 304 or Type 316; 0.015 inch thick, 3/4 inch wide with wing or closed seal.
- 3. Aluminum: ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105, or 5005; Temper H-14, 0.020 inch thick, 3/4 inch wide with wing or closed seal.
- 4. Springs: Twin spring set constructed of stainless steel with ends flat and slotted to accept metal bands. Spring size determined by manufacturer for application.

## 2.9 CORNER ANGLES

A. PVC Corner Angles: 30 mils thick, minimum 1 by 1 inch, PVC according to ASTM D 1784, Class 16354-C. White or color-coded to match adjacent surface.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Examine substrates and conditions for compliance with requirements for installation and other conditions affecting performance of insulation application.

- 1. Verify that systems and equipment to be insulated have been tested and are free of defects.
- 2. Verify that surfaces to be insulated are clean and dry.
- 3. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Surface Preparation: Clean and dry, new and existing surfaces to receive insulation. Remove materials that will adversely affect insulation application.
- B. Mix insulating cements with clean potable water.

## 3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install insulation materials, accessories, and finishes with smooth, straight, and even surfaces; free of voids throughout the length of equipment and piping including fittings, valves, and specialties.
- B. Install insulation materials, vapor barriers, jackets, and thicknesses required for each item of pipe system as specified in insulation system schedules.
- C. Install accessories compatible with insulation materials and suitable for the service. Install accessories that do not corrode, soften, or otherwise attack insulation or jacket in either wet or dry state.
- D. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at top and bottom of horizontal runs.
- E. Do not weld brackets, clips, or other attachment devices to piping, fittings, and specialties.
- F. Keep insulation materials dry during application and finishing.
- G. Install insulation with tight longitudinal seams and end joints. Bond seams and joints with adhesive recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
- H. Install insulation with least number of joints practical.
- I. Where vapor barrier is indicated, seal joints, seams, and penetrations in insulation with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 1. Install insulation continuously through hangers and around anchor attachments.
  - For insulation application where vapor barriers are indicated, extend insulation on anchor legs from point of attachment to supported item to point of attachment to structure. Taper and seal ends at attachment to structure with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 3. Install insert materials and install insulation to tightly join the insert. Seal insulation to insulation inserts with adhesive or sealing compound recommended by insulation material manufacturer.

- 4. Cover inserts with jacket material matching adjacent pipe insulation. Install shields over jacket, arranged to protect jacket from tear or puncture by hanger, support, and shield.
- J. Apply adhesives, mastics, and sealants at manufacturer's recommended coverage rate and wet and dry film thicknesses.
- K. Install insulation with factory-applied jackets as follows:
  - 1. Draw jacket tight and smooth.
  - 2. Cover circumferential joints with 3-inch- wide strips, of same material as insulation jacket. Secure strips with adhesive and outward clinching staples along both edges of strip, spaced 4 inches o.c.
  - 3. Overlap jacket longitudinal seams at least 1-1/2 inches. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at bottom of pipe. Clean and dry surface to receive self-sealing lap. Staple laps with outward clinching staples along edge at 2 inches o.c.
  - 4. Cover joints and seams with tape as recommended by insulation material manufacturer to maintain vapor seal.
  - 5. Where vapor barriers are indicated, apply vapor-barrier mastic on seams and joints and at ends adjacent to pipe flanges and fittings.
- L. Cut insulation in a manner to avoid compressing insulation more than 75 percent of its nominal thickness.
- M. Finish installation with systems at operating conditions. Repair joint separations and cracking due to thermal movement.
- N. Repair damaged insulation facings by applying same facing material over damaged areas. Extend patches at least 4 inches beyond damaged areas. Adhere, staple, and seal patches similar to butt joints.
- O. For above ambient services, do not install insulation to the following:
  - 1. Vibration-control devices.
  - 2. Testing agency labels and stamps.
  - 3. Nameplates and data plates.

#### 3.4 GENERAL PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Requirements in this article generally apply to all insulation materials except where more specific requirements are specified in various pipe insulation material installation articles.
- B. Insulation Installation on Fittings, Valves, Strainers, and Unions:
  - 1. Install insulation over fittings, valves, strainers, unions, and other specialties with continuous thermal and vapor-retarder integrity, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Insulate pipe elbows using preformed fitting insulation or mitered fittings made from same material and density as adjacent pipe insulation. Each piece shall be

- butted tightly against adjoining piece and bonded with adhesive. Fill joints, seams, voids, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement finished to a smooth, hard, and uniform contour that is uniform with adjoining pipe insulation.
- 3. Insulate tee fittings with preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Cut sectional pipe insulation to fit. Butt each section closely to the next and hold in place with tie wire. Bond pieces with adhesive.
- 4. Insulate valves using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. For valves, insulate up to and including the bonnets, valve stuffing-box studs, bolts, and nuts. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement.
- 5. Insulate strainers using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement. Insulate strainers so strainer basket flange or plug can be easily removed and replaced without damaging the insulation and jacket. Provide a removable reusable insulation cover. For below ambient services, provide a design that maintains vapor barrier.
- 6. Insulate unions using a section of oversized preformed pipe insulation. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker.
- 7. Cover segmented insulated surfaces with a layer of finishing cement and coat with a mastic. Install vapor-barrier mastic for below ambient services and a breather mastic for above ambient services. Reinforce the mastic with fabric-reinforcing mesh. Trowel the mastic to a smooth and well-shaped contour.
- 8. Install fitted PVC cover over elbows, tees, strainers, valves, flanges, and unions. Terminate ends with PVC end caps. Tape PVC covers to adjoining insulation facing using PVC tape.
- 9. Stencil or label the outside insulation jacket of each union with the word "UNION." Match size and color of pipe labels.

#### 3.5 CALCIUM SILICATE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Insulation Installation on piping at hangers to prevent the crushing of insulation at these locations.
  - 1. Secure single-layer insulation with stainless-steel bands at 12-inch intervals and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.

## 3.6 MINERAL-FIBER INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes and Tubes:
  - 1. Secure each layer of preformed pipe insulation to pipe with wire or bands and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.

- 2. Where vapor barriers are indicated, seal longitudinal seams, end joints, and protrusions with vapor-barrier mastic and joint sealant.
- 3. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on above ambient surfaces, secure laps with outward clinched staples at 6 inches o.c.
- 4. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on below ambient surfaces, do not staple longitudinal tabs but secure tabs with additional adhesive as recommended by insulation material manufacturer and seal with vapor-barrier mastic and flashing sealant.

## B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:

- 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
- 2. When preformed insulation elbows and fittings are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation, to a thickness equal to adjoining pipe insulation. Secure insulation materials with wire or bands.

# C. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:

- 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
- 2. When preformed sections are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation to valve body.
- 3. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
- 4. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.

## 3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. All insulation applications will be considered defective Work if sample inspection reveals noncompliance with requirements.

## 3.8 PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE, GENERAL

- A. Acceptable preformed pipe and tubular insulation materials and thicknesses are identified for each piping system and pipe size range.
- B. Items Not Insulated: Unless otherwise indicated, do not install insulation on the following make-up related piping:
  - 1. Drainage piping.
  - 2. Backflow preventer and test valves, relief valve, PRV valve.

## 3.9 INDOOR PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE

#### A. Domestic Cold Water:

1. 1 inch and Smaller: Insulation shall be one of the following:

a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1/2 inch thick.

**END OF SECTION 15082** 

## **SECTION 15083 - HVAC INSULATION**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes insulation of heating hot water piping and equipment as listed below.
  - 1. Insulation Materials:
    - a. Calcium silicate (for installation between insulation and hangers).
    - b. Mineral fiber.
  - 2. Fire-rated insulation systems.
  - 3. Insulating cements.
  - 4. Adhesives.
  - 5. Lagging adhesives.
  - 6. Sealants.
  - 7. Field-applied cloths.
  - 8. Tapes.
  - 9. Securements.
  - 10. Corner angles.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include thermal conductivity and thickness.
- B. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Skilled mechanics who have successfully completed an apprenticeship program or another craft training program certified by the Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.
- B. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: Insulation and related materials shall have fire-test-response characteristics indicated, as determined by testing identical products per ASTM E 84, by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Factory label insulation and jacket materials and adhesive, mastic, tapes, and cement material containers, with appropriate markings of applicable testing and inspecting agency.

1. Insulation Installed Indoors: Flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Packaging: Insulation material containers shall be marked by manufacturer with appropriate ASTM standard designation, type and grade, and maximum use temperature.

#### 1.6 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate size and location of supports, hangers, and insulation shields specified in Division 15 Section "Hangers and Supports."

#### 1.7 SCHEDULING

A. Schedule insulation application after pressure testing systems. Insulation application may begin on segments that have satisfactory test results.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 INSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Comply with requirements in Part 3 schedule articles for where insulating materials shall be applied.
- B. Products shall not contain asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.

## C. Calcium Silicate:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. Industrial Insulation Group (The); Thermo-12 Gold.
  - b. Prior approved equal.
- 2. Preformed Pipe Sections: Flat-, curved-, and grooved-block sections of noncombustible, inorganic, hydrous calcium silicate with a non-asbestos fibrous reinforcement. Comply with ASTM C 533, Type I.
- 3. Flat-, curved-, and grooved-block sections of noncombustible, inorganic, hydrous calcium silicate with a non-asbestos fibrous reinforcement. Comply with ASTM C 533, Type I.
- D. Mineral-Fiber Blanket Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 553, Type II and ASTM C 1290, Type I.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:

- a. Johns Manville; Microlite.
- b. CertainTeed Corp.
- c. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley Wrap.
- d. Prior approved equal.
- E. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation:
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Johns Manville; Micro-Lok.
    - b. Owens Corning; Fiberglas Pipe Insulation.
    - c. Knauf Insulation; 1000 Pipe Insulation.
    - d. Fibrex Insulations Inc.; Coreplus 1200.
    - e. Manson Insulation Inc.; Alley-K.
    - f. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Type I, 850 deg F Materials: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 547, Type I, Grade A.

## 2.2 INSULATING CEMENTS

- A. Mineral-Fiber Insulating Cement: Comply with ASTM C 195.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Insulco, Division of MFS, Inc.; Triple I.
    - b. P. K. Insulation Mfg. Co., Inc.; Super-Stik.
    - c. Prior approved equal.

## 2.3 ADHESIVES

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials and substrates and for bonding insulation to itself and to surfaces to be insulated, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Calcium Silicate Adhesive: Fibrous, sodium-silicate-based adhesive with a service temperature range of 50 to 800 deg F.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-97.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 81-27/81-93.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 290.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-30.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; 760.
    - f. Prior approved equal.
- C. Mineral-Fiber Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:

- a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-82.
- b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 85-20.
- c. ITW TACC, Division of Illinois Tool Works; S-90/80.
- d. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 225.
- e. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 22-25.
- f. Prior approved equal.

#### 2.4 LAGGING ADHESIVES

- A. Description: Comply with MIL-A-3316C Class I, Grade A and shall be compatible with insulation materials and substrates.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-52.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 81-42.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 130.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.; 11-30.
    - e. Vimasco Corporation; 136.
    - f. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Fire-resistant, water-based lagging adhesive and coating for use indoors to adhere fire-resistant lagging cloths over equipment and pipe insulation.
  - 3. Service Temperature Range: Minus 50 to plus 180 deg F.
  - 4. Color: White.

## 2.5 SEALANTS

- A. Joint Sealants:
  - 1. Joint Sealants for mineral fiber: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - Childers Products, Division of ITW; CP-76.
    - b. Foster Products Corporation, H. B. Fuller Company; 30-45.
    - c. Marathon Industries, Inc.; 405.
    - d. Mon-Eco Industries. Inc.: 44-05.
    - e. Pittsburgh Corning Corporation; Pittseal 444.
    - f. Vimasco Corporation; 750.
    - g. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials and substrates.
  - 3. Permanently flexible, elastomeric sealant.
  - 4. Service Temperature Range: Minus 100 to plus 300 deg F.
  - 5. Color: White.

## 2.6 FACTORY-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Insulation system schedules indicate factory-applied jackets on various applications. When factory-applied jackets are indicated, comply with the following:
  - ASJ: White, kraft-paper, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with aluminum-foil backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.
  - 2. ASJ-SSL: ASJ with self-sealing, pressure-sensitive, acrylic-based adhesive covered by a removable protective strip; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type I.
  - 3. FSK Jacket: Aluminum-foil, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with kraft-paper backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type II.
  - 4. FSP Jacket: Aluminum-foil, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with polyethylene backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type II.
  - 5. Vinyl Jacket: White vinyl with a permeance of 1.3 perms when tested according to ASTM E 96, Procedure A, and complying with NFPA 90A and NFPA 90B.

#### 2.7 FIELD-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Metal Jacket: For expansion tank only.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Products, Division of ITW; Metal Jacketing Systems.
    - b. PABCO Metals Corporation; Surefit.
    - c. RPR Products, Inc.; Insul-Mate.
    - d. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Aluminum Jacket: Comply with ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105 or 5005, Temper H-14.
    - a. Sheet and roll stock ready for shop or field sizing.
    - b. Finish and thickness are indicated in field-applied jacket schedules.
    - c. Moisture Barrier for Indoor Applications: 1-mil- thick, heat-bonded polyethylene and kraft paper.

#### 2.8 TAPES

- A. ASJ Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive, complying with ASTM C 1136.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0835.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 104 and 105.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 428 AWF ASJ.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1540 CW Plus, 1542 CW Plus, and 1542 CW Plus/SQ.
    - e. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.

- 3. Thickness: 11.5 mils.
- 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
- 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
- 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
- 7. ASJ Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of ASJ tape.
- B. FSK Tape: Foil-face, vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive; complying with ASTM C 1136.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0827.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 110 and 111.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 491 AWF FSK.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1525 CW, 1528 CW, and 1528 CW/SQ.
    - e. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Width: 3 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 6.5 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 2 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
  - 7. FSK Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of FSK tape.
- C. PVC Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching field-applied PVC jacket with acrylic adhesive. Suitable for indoor applications.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0555.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 130.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 370 White PVC tape.
    - d. Venture Tape; 1506 CW NS.
    - e. Prior approved equal.
  - 2. Width: 2 inches.
  - 3. Thickness: 6 mils.
  - 4. Adhesion: 64 ounces force/inch in width.
  - 5. Elongation: 500 percent.
  - 6. Tensile Strength: 18 lbf/inch in width.
- D. Aluminum-Foil Tape: Vapor-retarder tape with acrylic adhesive.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0800.
    - b. Compac Corp.; 120.
    - c. Ideal Tape Co., Inc., an American Biltrite Company; 488 AWF.
    - d. Venture Tape; 3520 CW.
    - e. Prior approved equal.

- 2. Width: 2 inches.
- 3. Thickness: 3.7 mils.
- 4. Adhesion: 100 ounces force/inch in width.
- 5. Elongation: 5 percent.
- 6. Tensile Strength: 34 lbf/inch in width.

## 2.9 SECUREMENTS

#### A. Bands:

- 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - a. Childers Products; Bands.
  - b. PABCO Metals Corporation; Bands.
  - c. RPR Products, Inc.; Bands.
  - d. Prior approved equal.
- 2. Stainless Steel: ASTM A 167 or ASTM A 240/A 240M, Type 304 or Type 316; 0.015 inch thick, 1/2 inch wide.
- 3. Aluminum: ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105, or 5005; Temper H-14, 0.020 inch thick, 1/2 inch wide.

#### 2.10 CORNER ANGLES

- A. PVC Corner Angles: 30 mils thick, minimum 1 by 1 inch, PVC according to ASTM D 1784, Class 16354-C. White or color-coded to match adjacent surface.
- B. Aluminum Corner Angles: 0.040 inch thick, minimum 1 by 1 inch, aluminum according to ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, 3005, 3105 or 5005; Temper H-14.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates and conditions for compliance with requirements for installation and other conditions affecting performance of insulation application.
  - 1. Verify that systems and equipment to be insulated have been tested and are free of defects.
  - 2. Verify that surfaces to be insulated are clean and dry.
  - 3. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Surface Preparation: Clean and dry surfaces to receive insulation. Remove materials that will adversely affect insulation application.
- B. Surface Preparation: Clean and prepare surfaces to be insulated. Before insulating, apply a corrosion coating to insulated surfaces as follows:
  - 1. Carbon Steel: Coat carbon steel operating at a service temperature between 32 and 300 deg F with an epoxy coating. Consult coating manufacturer for appropriate coating materials and application methods for operating temperature range.
- C. Mix insulating cements with clean potable water.

## 3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install insulation materials, accessories, and finishes with smooth, straight, and even surfaces; free of voids throughout the length of equipment, fittings, and piping including fittings, valves, and specialties.
- B. Install insulation materials, forms, vapor barriers or retarders, jackets, and thicknesses required for each item of equipment and pipe system as specified in insulation system schedules.
- C. Install accessories compatible with insulation materials and suitable for the service. Install accessories that do not corrode, soften, or otherwise attack insulation or jacket in either wet or dry state.
- D. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at top and bottom of horizontal runs.
- E. Install multiple layers of insulation with longitudinal and end seams staggered.
- F. Do not weld brackets, clips, or other attachment devices to piping, fittings, and specialties.
- G. Keep insulation materials dry during application and finishing.
- H. Install insulation with tight longitudinal seams and end joints. Bond seams and joints with adhesive recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
- I. Install insulation with least number of joints practical.
- J. Where vapor barrier is indicated, seal joints, seams, and penetrations in insulation at supports, anchors, and other projections with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 1. Install insulation continuously through hangers.
  - For insulation application where vapor barriers are indicated, extend insulation on anchor legs from point of attachment to supported item to point of attachment to structure. Taper and seal ends at attachment to structure with vapor-barrier mastic.

- 3. Install insert materials and install insulation to tightly join the insert. Seal insulation to insulation inserts with adhesive or sealing compound recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
- 4. Cover inserts with jacket material matching adjacent pipe insulation. Install shields over jacket, arranged to protect jacket from tear or puncture by hanger, support, and shield.
- K. Apply adhesives, mastics, and sealants at manufacturer's recommended coverage rate and wet and dry film thicknesses.
- L. Install insulation with factory-applied jackets as follows:
  - 1. Draw jacket tight and smooth.
  - 2. Cover circumferential joints with 3-inch- wide strips, of same material as insulation jacket. Secure strips with adhesive and outward clinching staples along both edges of strip, spaced 4 inches o.c.
  - 3. Overlap jacket longitudinal seams at least 1-1/2 inches. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at bottom of pipe. Clean and dry surface to receive self-sealing lap. Staple laps with outward clinching staples along edge at 2 inches o.c.
    - a. For below ambient services, apply vapor-barrier mastic over staples.
  - 4. Cover joints and seams with tape as recommended by insulation material manufacturer to maintain vapor seal.
  - 5. Where vapor barriers are indicated, apply vapor-barrier mastic on seams and joints and at ends adjacent to duct and pipe flanges and fittings.
- M. Cut insulation in a manner to avoid compressing insulation more than 75 percent of its nominal thickness.
- N. Finish installation with systems at operating conditions. Repair joint separations and cracking due to thermal movement.
- O. Repair damaged insulation facings by applying same facing material over damaged areas. Extend patches at least 4 inches beyond damaged areas. Adhere, staple, and seal patches similar to butt joints.
- P. For above ambient services, do not install insulation to the following:
  - 1. Vibration-control devices.
  - 2. Testing agency labels and stamps.
  - 3. Nameplates and data plates.

## 3.4 EQUIPMENT, TANK, AND VESSEL INSULATION INSTALLATION

A. Mineral Fiber, Pipe and Tank Insulation Installation for Tanks and Vessels: Secure insulation with adhesive and anchor pins and speed washers.

- 1. Apply adhesives according to manufacturer's recommended coverage rates per unit area, for 100 percent coverage of tank and vessel surfaces.
- 2. Groove and score insulation materials to fit as closely as possible to equipment, including contours. Bevel insulation edges for cylindrical surfaces for tight joints. Stagger end joints.
- 3. Protect exposed corners with secured corner angles.
- 4. Install adhesively attached or self-sticking insulation hangers and speed washers on sides of tanks as follows:
  - a. Do not weld anchor pins to ASME-labeled pressure vessels.
  - b. Select insulation hangers and adhesive that are compatible with service temperature and with substrate.
  - c. On tanks, maximum anchor-pin spacing is 3 inches from insulation end joints, and 16 inches o.c. in both directions.
  - d. Do not overcompress insulation during installation.
  - e. Cut and miter insulation segments to fit curved sides and domed heads of tanks.
  - f. Impale insulation over anchor pins and attach speed washers.
  - g. Cut excess portion of pins extending beyond speed washers or bend parallel with insulation surface. Cover exposed pins and washers with tape matching insulation facing.
- 5. Secure each layer of insulation with stainless-steel or aluminum bands. Select band material compatible with insulation materials.
- 6. Where insulation hangers on equipment and vessels are not permitted or practical and where insulation support rings are not provided, install a girdle network for securing insulation. Stretch prestressed aircraft cable around the diameter of vessel and make taut with clamps, turnbuckles, or breather springs. Place one circumferential girdle around equipment approximately 6 inches from each end. Install wire or cable between two circumferential girdles 12 inches o.c. Install a wire ring around each end and around outer periphery of center openings, and stretch prestressed aircraft cable radially from the wire ring to nearest circumferential girdle. Install additional circumferential girdles along the body of equipment or tank at a minimum spacing of 48 inches o.c. Use this network for securing insulation with tie wire or bands.
- 7. Stagger joints between insulation layers at least 3 inches.
- 8. Install insulation in removable segments on equipment access doors, manholes, handholes, and other elements that require frequent removal for service and inspection.
- 9. Bevel and seal insulation ends around ASME stamps and nameplates.

# B. Insulation Installation on Pumps:

- 1. Fabricate metal boxes lined with insulation. Fit boxes around pumps and coincide box joints with splits in pump casings. Fabricate joints with outward bolted flanges. Bolt flanges on 6-inch centers, starting at corners. Install 3/8-inch- diameter fasteners with wing nuts. Alternatively, secure the box sections together using a latching mechanism.
- 2. Fabricate boxes from galvanized steel aluminum stainless steel, at least 0.040 inch 0.050 inch thick.

## 3.5 GENERAL PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Requirements in this article generally apply to all insulation materials except where more specific requirements are specified in various pipe insulation material installation articles.
- B. Insulation Installation on Fittings, Valves, Strainers, Flanges, and Unions:
  - 1. Install insulation over fittings, valves, strainers, flanges, unions, and other specialties with continuous thermal and vapor-retarder integrity, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Insulate pipe elbows using preformed fitting insulation or mitered fittings made from same material and density as adjacent pipe insulation. Each piece shall be butted tightly against adjoining piece and bonded with adhesive. Fill joints, seams, voids, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement finished to a smooth, hard, and uniform contour that is uniform with adjoining pipe insulation.
  - 3. Insulate tee fittings with preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Cut sectional pipe insulation to fit. Butt each section closely to the next and hold in place with tie wire. Bond pieces with adhesive.
  - 4. Insulate valves using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. For valves, insulate up to and including the bonnets, valve stuffing-box studs, bolts, and nuts. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement.
  - 5. Insulate strainers using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement. Insulate strainers so strainer basket flange or plug can be easily removed and replaced without damaging the insulation and jacket. Provide a removable reusable insulation cover. For below ambient services, provide a design that maintains vapor barrier.
  - 6. Insulate flanges and unions using a section of oversized preformed pipe insulation. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker.
  - 7. Cover segmented insulated surfaces with a layer of finishing cement and coat with a mastic. Install vapor-barrier mastic for below ambient services and a breather mastic for above ambient services. Reinforce the mastic with fabric-reinforcing mesh. Trowel the mastic to a smooth and well-shaped contour.
  - 8. Install fitted PVC cover over elbows, tees, strainers, valves, flanges, and unions. Terminate ends with PVC end caps. Tape PVC covers to adjoining insulation facing using PVC tape.
  - 9. Stencil or label the outside insulation jacket of each union with the word "UNION." Match size and color of pipe labels.
- C. Insulate instrument connections for thermometers, pressure gages, pressure temperature taps, test connections, flow meters, sensors, switches, and transmitters on insulated pipes, vessels, and equipment. Shape insulation at these connections by

tapering it to and around the connection with insulating cement and finish with finishing cement, mastic, and flashing sealant.

- D. Install removable insulation covers at locations indicated. Installation shall conform to the following:
  - 1. Make removable flange and union insulation from sectional pipe insulation of same thickness as that on adjoining pipe. Install same insulation jacket as adjoining pipe insulation.
  - When flange and union covers are made from sectional pipe insulation, extend insulation from flanges or union long at least two times the insulation thickness over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of flange or union. Secure flange cover in place with stainless-steel or aluminum bands. Select band material compatible with insulation and jacket.
  - 3. Construct removable valve insulation covers in same manner as for flanges except divide the two-part section on the vertical center line of valve body.
  - 4. When covers are made from block insulation, make two halves, each consisting of mitered blocks wired to stainless-steel fabric. Secure this wire frame, with its attached insulation, to flanges with tie wire. Extend insulation at least 2 inches over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of valve. Fill space between flange or union cover and pipe insulation with insulating cement. Finish cover assembly with insulating cement applied in two coats. After first coat is dry, apply and trowel second coat to a smooth finish.

## 3.6 CALCIUM SILICATE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes at hanger locations:
  - 1. Secure single-layer insulation with stainless-steel bands at 12-inch intervals and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.

## 3.7 MINERAL-FIBER INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes and Tubes:
  - 1. Secure each layer of preformed pipe insulation to pipe with wire or bands and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.
  - 2. Where vapor barriers are indicated, seal longitudinal seams, end joints, and protrusions with vapor-barrier mastic and joint sealant.
  - 3. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on above ambient surfaces, secure laps with outward clinched staples at 6 inches o.c.
- B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:
  - 1. Install preformed pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
  - 2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.

- 3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with mineral-fiber blanket insulation.
- 4. Install jacket material with manufacturer's recommended adhesive, overlap seams at least 1 inch, and seal joints with flashing sealant.
- C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed insulation elbows and fittings are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation, to a thickness equal to adjoining pipe insulation. Secure insulation materials with wire or bands.
- D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:
  - 1. Install preformed sections of same material as straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
  - 2. When preformed sections are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation to valve body.
  - 3. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
  - 4. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.

## 3.8 EQUIPMENT INSULATION SCHEDULE

- A. Insulation materials and thicknesses are identified below.
- B. Heating-hot-water pump insulation shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Calcium Silicate: 3 inches thick.
  - 2. Mineral-Fiber Board: 2 inches thick and 2-lb/cu. ft. nominal density.
- C. Heating-hot-water expansion tank insulation shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Calcium Silicate: 2 inches thick.
  - 2. Mineral-Fiber Pipe and Tank: 1 inch thick.
- D. Heating-hot-water air-eliminator insulation shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Calcium Silicate: 3 inches thick.
  - 2. Mineral-Fiber Pipe and Tank: 2 inches thick.

# 3.9 PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE, GENERAL

- A. Acceptable preformed pipe insulation materials and thicknesses are identified for each piping system and pipe size range.
- B. Items Not Insulated: Unless otherwise indicated, do not install insulation on the following:

- 1. Drainage piping.
- 2. Control valves.
- 3. Relief valves.

# 3.10 INDOOR PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE

- A. Heating-Hot-Water Supply and Return, 200 Deg F and below:
  - 1. 2 Inches and Smaller: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1 inch thick.
  - 2. 2 Inches and Larger: Insulation shall be one of the following:
    - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe, Type I: 1-1/2 inches thick.

**END OF SECTION 15083** 

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## SECTION 15112 - GENERAL-DUTY VALVES FOR HVAC PIPING

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Bronze ball valves.
  - 2. Iron ball valves.
  - 3. Iron, single-flange butterfly valves.
  - 4. Iron, center-guided check valves.
- B. Related Sections:
  - 1. Division 15 HVAC piping Sections for specialty valves applicable to those Sections only.
  - 2. Division 15 Section "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment."

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of valve indicated.

# 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Limitations for Valves: Obtain each type of valve from single source from single manufacturer.
- B. ASME Compliance:
  - 1. ASME B16.10 and ASME B16.34 for ferrous valve dimensions and design criteria.
  - 2. ASME B31.9 for building services piping valves.

# 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Prepare valves for shipping as follows:
  - 1. Protect internal parts against rust and corrosion.
  - 2. Protect threads, flange faces, and weld ends.

- 3. Set ball valves open to minimize exposure of functional surfaces.
- 4. Set butterfly valves closed or slightly open.
- 5. Block check valves in either closed or open position.
- B. Use the following precautions during storage:
  - 1. Maintain valve end protection.
  - 2. Store valves indoors and maintain at higher than ambient dew point temperature.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

#### 2.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVES

- A. Refer to HVAC valve schedule articles for applications of valves.
- B. Valve Pressure and Temperature Ratings: Not less than indicated and as required for system pressures and temperatures.
- C. Valve Sizes: Same as upstream piping unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Valve Actuator Types:
  - 1. Handlever: For quarter-turn valves NPS 3 and smaller.
- E. Valves in Insulated Piping: With 2-inch stem extensions and the following features:
  - 1. Ball Valves: With extended operating handle of non-thermal-conductive material, and protective sleeve that allows operation of valve without breaking the vapor seal or disturbing insulation.
  - 2. Butterfly Valves: With extended neck.
- F. Valve-End Connections:
  - 1. Flanged: With flanges according to ASME B16.1 for iron valves 2-1/2" and above.
  - 2. Threaded: With threads according to ASME B1.20.1.
- G. Valve Drain Connections: MSS SP-45.

#### 2.2 BRONZE BALL VALVES

- A. Two-Piece, Full-Port, Bronze Ball Valves with Bronze Trim, Domestic Water:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Kitz.
    - b. American Valve, Inc.
    - c. Conbraco Industries, Inc.; Apollo Valves.

- d. Crane Co.; Crane Valve Group; Crane Valves.
- e. Hammond Valve.
- f. Milwaukee Valve Company.
- g. NIBCO INC.

# 2. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
- b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
- c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
- d. Body Design: Two piece.
- e. Body Material: Bronze.
- f. Ends: Threaded.
- g. Seats: PTFE or TFE.
- h. Stem: Bronze.
- i. Ball: Chrome-plated brass.
- j. Port: Full.
- B. Two-Piece, Full-Port, Bronze Ball Valves with Stainless-Steel Trim, Heating Hot Water:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Kitz.
    - b. Conbraco Industries, Inc.; Apollo Valves.
    - c. Crane Co.; Crane Valve Group; Crane Valves.
    - d. Hammond Valve.
    - e. Milwaukee Valve Company.
    - f. NIBCO INC.

# 2. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
- b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
- c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
- d. Body Design: Two piece.
- e. Body Material: Bronze.
- f. Ends: Threaded.
- g. Seats: PTFE or TFE.
- h. Stem: Stainless steel.
- i. Ball: Stainless steel, vented.
- j. Port: Full.

#### 2.3 IRON BALL VALVES: HEATING HOT WATER

- A. Class 125, Iron Ball Valves, 2-1/2" and larger:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

- a. Kitz Corporation.
- b. Nibco.
- c. Conbraco Industries, Inc.; Apollo Valves.
- d. American Valve, Inc.

# 2. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-72.b. CWP Rating: 200 psig.
- c. Body Design: Split body.
- d. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron.
- e. Ends: Flanged.
- f. Seats: PTFE or TFE.
- g. Stem: Stainless steel.
- h. Ball: Stainless steel.
- i. Port: Full.

# 2.4 IRON, SINGLE-FLANGE BUTTERFLY VALVES: HEATING HOT WATER

- A. 150 CWP, Iron, Single-Flange Butterfly Valves with EPDM Seat and Aluminum-Bronze Disc:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. ABZ Valve and Controls; a division of ABZ Manufacturing, Inc.
    - b. Conbraco Industries, Inc.; Apollo Valves.
    - c. Crane Co.; Crane Valve Group; Jenkins Valves.
    - d. Hammond Valve.
    - e. Kitz Corporation.
    - f. Milwaukee Valve Company.
    - g. NIBCO INC.
    - h. Spence Strainers International; a division of CIRCOR International.

## 2. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-67, Type I.
- b. CWP Rating: 150 psig.
- c. Body Design: Lug type; suitable for bidirectional dead-end service at rated pressure without use of downstream flange.
- d. Body Material: ASTM A 126, cast iron or ASTM A 536, ductile iron.
- e. Seat: EPDM.
- f. Stem: One- or two-piece stainless steel.
- g. Disc: Aluminum bronze.

# 2.5 IRON, CENTER-GUIDED CHECK VALVES

A. Class 125, Iron, Compact-Wafer, Center-Guided Check Valves with Metal Seat:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Mueller Steam Specialty; a division of SPX Corporation.
  - b. APCO Willamette Valve and Primer Corporation.
  - c. Flo Fab Inc.
  - d. Hammond Valve.
  - e. Metraflex, Inc.
  - f. Milwaukee Valve Company.
  - g. NIBCO, Inc.

# 2. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-125.
- b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 200 psig.
- c. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron.
- d. Style: Compact wafer.
- e. Seat: Bronze.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine valve interior for cleanliness, freedom from foreign matter, and corrosion. Remove special packing materials, such as blocks, used to prevent disc movement during shipping and handling.
- B. Operate valves in positions from fully open to fully closed. Examine guides and seats made accessible by such operations.
- C. Examine threads on valve and mating pipe for form and cleanliness.
- D. Examine mating flange faces for conditions that might cause leakage. Check bolting for proper size, length, and material. Verify that gasket is of proper size, that its material composition is suitable for service, and that it is free from defects and damage.
- E. Do not attempt to repair defective valves; replace with new valves.

## 3.2 VALVE INSTALLATION

- A. Install valves with unions or flanges at each piece of equipment arranged to allow service, maintenance, and equipment removal without system shutdown.
- B. Locate valves for easy access and provide separate support where necessary.
- C. Install valves in horizontal piping with stem at or above center of pipe.
- D. Install valves in position to allow full stem movement.

- E. Install check valves for proper direction of flow and as follows:
  - 1. Center-Guided Check Valves: In vertical position, between flanges.

#### 3.3 ADJUSTING

A. Adjust or replace valve packing after piping systems have been tested and put into service but before final adjusting and balancing. Replace valves if persistent leaking occurs.

## 3.4 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. If valve applications are not indicated, use the following:
  - 1. Shutoff Service: Ball or butterfly valves.
  - 2. Throttling Service: Ball or butterfly valves.
  - 3. Pump-Discharge Check Valves:
    - a. NPS 2-1/2 and larger: Iron, center-guided, metal-seat check valves.
- B. If valves with specified SWP classes or CWP ratings are not available, the same types of valves with higher SWP classes or CWP ratings may be substituted.
- C. Select valves, except wafer types, with the following end connections:
  - 1. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded ends.
  - 2. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 3: Flanged ends.
  - 3. For Steel Piping, NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded ends.
  - 4. For Steel Piping, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 3: Flanged ends.

#### 3.5 HEATING-WATER VALVE SCHEDULE

- A. Pipe NPS 2 and Smaller:
  - Bronze Valves
  - 2. Ball Valves: Two piece, full port, bronze with stainless-steel trim.
- B. Pipe NPS 2-1/2 and Larger:
  - 1. Iron Valves, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 3.
  - 2. Iron Ball Valves, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 10: Class 150.
  - 3. Iron, Single-Flange Butterfly Valves, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12: 200 CWP, EPDM seat, stainless-steel disc.
  - 4. Iron, Center-Guided Check Valves: Class 125, compact-wafer.

#### **END OF SECTION 15112**

# <u>SECTION 15127 - METERS AND GAGES FOR HVAC PIPING</u>

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Thermometers.
  - 2. Gages.

## 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. CR: Chlorosulfonated polyethylene synthetic rubber.
- B. EPDM: Ethylene-propylene-diene terpolymer rubber.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated; include performance curves.
- B. Shop Drawings: Schedule for thermometers and gages indicating manufacturer's number, scale range, and location for each.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 METAL-CASE, LIQUID-IN-GLASS THERMOMETERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Miljoco
  - 2. Palmer Wahl Instruments Inc.
  - 3. Trerice, H. O. Co.
  - 4. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
  - 5. Weksler Instruments Operating Unit; Dresser Industries; Instrument Div.
  - 6. Prior approved equal.
- B. Case: Die-cast aluminum, 9 inches long.

- C. Tube: Blue reading, organic-liquid filled, with magnifying lens.
- D. Tube Background: Satin-faced, nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings.
- E. Window: Glass.
- F. Connector: Adjustable type, 180 degrees in vertical plane, 360 degrees in horizontal plane, with locking device.
- G. Stem: Copper-plated steel, for thermowell installation and of length to suit installation.
- H. Accuracy: Plus or minus 1 percent of range or plus or minus 1 scale division to maximum of 1.5 percent of range.

## 2.2 THERMOWELLS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Miljoco Corp.
  - 2. Trerice, H. O. Co.
  - 3. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
  - 4. Weksler Instruments Operating Unit; Dresser Industries; Instrument Div.
  - 5. Marsh Bellofram.
  - 6. AMETEK, Inc.; U.S. Gauge Div.
  - 7. Ashcroft Commercial Instrument Operations; Dresser Industries; Instrument Div.
  - 8. Ernst Gage Co.
- B. Manufacturers: Same as manufacturer of thermometer being used.
- C. Description: Pressure-tight, socket-type metal fitting made for insertion into piping and of type, diameter, and length required to hold thermometer.

#### 2.3 PRESSURE GAGES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Miljoco Corp.
  - 2. Trerice, H. O. Co.
  - 3. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
  - 4. Weksler Instruments Operating Unit; Dresser Industries; Instrument Div.
  - 5. Marsh Bellofram.
  - 6. AMETEK, Inc.; U.S. Gauge Div.
  - 7. Ashcroft Commercial Instrument Operations; Dresser Industries; Instrument Div.
- B. Direct-Mounting, Dial-Type Pressure Gages: Indicating-dial type complying with ASME B40.100.

- 1. Case: Dry type, drawn steel or cast aluminum, 4-1/2-inch diameter, for every location except pump inlet and outlets, which shall be liquid filled.
- 2. Pressure-Element Assembly: Bourdon tube, unless otherwise indicated.
- 3. Pressure Connection: Brass, NPS 1/4, bottom-outlet type unless back-outlet type is indicated.
- 4. Movement: Mechanical, with link to pressure element and connection to pointer.
- 5. Dial: Satin-faced, nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings.
- 6. Pointer: Black metal.
- 7. Window: Glass.
- 8. Ring: Brass.
- 9. Accuracy: Grade A, plus or minus 1 percent of middle half scale.
- 10. Vacuum-Pressure Range: 30-in. Hg of vacuum to 15 psig of pressure.
- 11. Range for Fluids under Pressure: Two times operating pressure.

## C. Pressure-Gage Fittings:

- 1. Valves: NPS 1/4 brass or stainless-steel needle type.
- 2. Snubbers: ASME B40.5, NPS 1/4 brass bushing with corrosion-resistant, porous-metal disc of material suitable for system fluid and working pressure.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 THERMOMETER APPLICATIONS

- A. Install liquid-in-glass thermometers in the following locations:
  - 1. Inlet and outlet of hydronic boiler.
- B. Provide the following temperature ranges for thermometers:
  - 1. Heating Hot Water: 30 to 240 deg F, with 2-degree scale divisions.

## 3.2 GAGE APPLICATIONS

- A. Install liquid-filled-case-type pressure gages at suction and discharge of each pump.
- B. Inlet to boiler.

# 3.3 INSTALLATIONS

- A. Install direct-mounting thermometers and adjust vertical and tilted positions.
- B. Install thermowells with socket extending one-third of diameter of pipe and in vertical position in piping tees where thermometers are indicated.
- C. Install needle-valve and snubber fitting in piping for each pressure gage for fluids.

# 3.4 CONNECTIONS

A. Install gages adjacent to equipment to allow service and maintenance for gages and equipment.

# 3.5 ADJUSTING

A. Adjust faces of gages and thermometers to proper angle for best visibility.

**END OF SECTION 15127** 

## **SECTION 15140 - DOMESTIC WATER PIPING**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Heating hot water make-up water system.
  - 2. Escutcheons.

## 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Seismic Performance: Domestic water piping and support and installation shall withstand effects of earthquake motions determined according to SEI/ASCE 7.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following products:
  - 1. Valves.
  - 2. Dielectric fittings.
  - 3. Backflow preventers.
  - 4. Escutcheons.

# 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Piping materials shall bear label, stamp, or other markings of specified testing agency.
- B. Comply with NSF 61 for potable domestic water piping and components.

## 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Interruption of Existing Water Service: Do not interrupt water service to facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions:
  - 1. Notify Owner no fewer than 72 hours in advance of proposed interruption of water service.

2. Do not proceed with interruption of water service without Owner's written permission.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 PIPING MATERIALS

A. Comply with requirements in "Piping Schedule" Article for applications of pipe, tube, fitting materials, and joining methods for specific services, service locations, and pipe sizes.

#### 2.2 COPPER TUBE AND FITTINGS

- A. Hard Copper Tube: ASTM B 88, Type L for above floor, water tube, drawn temper.
  - 1. Cast-Copper Solder-Joint Fittings: ASME B16.18, pressure fittings.
  - 2. Wrought-Copper Solder-Joint Fittings:
  - 3. Bronze Flanges: ASME B16.24, Class 150, with solder-joint ends.
  - 4. Copper Unions: MSS SP-123, cast-copper-alloy, hexagonal-stock body, with ball-and-socket, metal-to-metal seating surfaces, and solder-joint or threaded ends.

#### 2.3 PIPING JOINING MATERIALS

A. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.

## 2.4 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. General Requirements: Assembly of copper alloy and ferrous materials or ferrous material body with separating nonconductive insulating material suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- B. Dielectric Unions:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Capitol Manufacturing Company.
    - b. Central Plastics Company.
    - c. EPCO Sales. Inc.
    - d. Hart Industries International, Inc.
    - e. Watts Regulator Co.; a division of Watts Water Technologies, Inc.
    - f. Zurn Plumbing Products Group; Wilkins Water Control Products.
  - 2. Description:

- a. Pressure Rating: 150 psig at 180 deg F.
- b. End Connections: Solder-joint copper alloy.

#### 2.5 ESCUTCHEONS

- A. General: Manufactured ceiling escutcheon.
- B. One Piece, Cast Brass: Polished, chrome-plated finish.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

#### 3.1 PIPING INSTALLATION

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of domestic water piping make up water. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install copper tubing according to CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook."
- C. Install water piping level and plumb.
- D. Install all water piping at right angles and parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited.
- E. Install piping and specialties to allow service and maintenance.
- F. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- G. Install nipples, unions, special fittings, and valves with pressure ratings the same as or higher than system pressure rating used in applications below unless otherwise indicated.
- H. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- I. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.

# 3.2 **JOINT CONSTRUCTION**

- A. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs.
- B. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipes, tubes, and fittings before assembly.
- C. Soldered Joints: Apply ASTM B 813, water-flushable flux to end of tube. Join copper tube and fittings according to ASTM B 828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook."
- D. Dissimilar-Material Piping Joints: Make joints using adapters compatible with materials of both piping systems.

## 3.3 VALVE INSTALLATION

A. Install shutoff valve where shown on drawings. Use ball valves for piping NPS 2 and smaller.

#### 3.4 DIELECTRIC FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Install dielectric fittings in piping at connections of dissimilar metal piping and tubing.
- B. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 2 and Smaller: Use dielectric unions.

## 3.5 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with requirements in Division 15 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Piping and Equipment" for seismic-restraint devices.
- B. Comply with requirements in Division 15 Section "Hangers and Supports for Plumbing Piping and Equipment" for pipe hanger and support products and installation.
  - 1. Vertical Piping: MSS Type 8 or 42, clamps.
  - 2. Individual, Straight, Horizontal Piping Runs:
    - a. 100 Feet and Less: MSS Type 1, adjustable, steel clevis hangers.
- C. Install hangers for copper tubing with the following maximum horizontal spacing and minimum rod diameters:
  - 1. NPS 3/4 and Smaller: 60 inches with 3/8-inch rod.
  - 2. NPS 1 and NPS 1-1/4: 72 inches with 3/8-inch rod.

## 3.6 CONNECTIONS

- A. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Install piping to allow service and maintenance.

# 3.7 ESCUTCHEON INSTALLATION

- A. Install escutcheon at ceiling penetrations.
- B. Escutcheon for New Piping:
  - 1. Piping with Fitting Protruding from Ceiling: One piece, deep pattern.

# 3.8 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Perform tests and inspections.

# B. Piping Inspections:

- 1. Do not enclose, cover, or put piping into operation until it has been inspected and approved by authorities having jurisdiction.
- 2. During installation, notify authorities having jurisdiction at least one day before inspection must be made. Perform tests specified below in presence of authorities having jurisdiction:
  - a. Roughing-in Inspection: Arrange for inspection of piping before concealing or closing-in after roughing-in and before setting fixtures.
  - b. Final Inspection: Arrange final inspection for authorities having jurisdiction to observe tests specified below and to ensure compliance with requirements.
- 3. Reinspection: If authorities having jurisdiction find that piping will not pass tests or inspections, make required corrections and arrange for reinspection.
- 4. Reports: Prepare inspection reports and have them signed by authorities having jurisdiction.

# C. Piping Tests - New piping only:

- 1. Fill new water piping. Check components to determine that new piping is not air bound and that piping is full of water. Isolate from existing system.
- 2. Test for leaks and defects in new piping.
- 3. Leave new domestic water piping unused until it has been tested and approved.
- 4. Cap and subject new piping to static water pressure of 100 psig without exceeding pressure rating of piping system materials. Isolate test source and allow to stand for four hours. Leaks and loss in test pressure constitute defects that must be repaired.
- 5. Repair leaks and defects with new materials and retest piping or portion thereof until satisfactory results are obtained.
- 6. Prepare reports for tests and for corrective action required.
- D. Domestic water piping will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.

#### 3.9 CLEANING

- A. Clean and disinfect new water piping as follows:
  - 1. Purge new piping before using.
  - 2. Use purging and disinfecting procedures prescribed by authorities having jurisdiction; if methods are not prescribed, use procedures described in either AWWA C651 or AWWA C652 or follow procedures described below:
    - a. Flush new piping with clean, potable water until dirty water does not appear at end of new piping.
    - b. Fill and isolate new piping according to either of the following:

- 1) Fill new piping with water/chlorine solution with at least 50 ppm of chlorine. Isolate with valves and allow to stand for 24 hours.
- c. Flush new piping with clean, potable water until no chlorine is in water coming from system after the standing time.
- d. Submit water samples in sterile bottles to authorities having jurisdiction. Repeat procedures if biological examination shows contamination.
- B. Prepare and submit reports of purging and disinfecting activities.
- C. Clean interior of domestic water piping system. Remove dirt and debris as work progresses.

## 3.10 PIPING SCHEDULE

- A. Transition and special fittings with pressure ratings at least equal to piping rating may be used in applications below unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Unions may be used for aboveground piping joints unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Aboveground domestic water piping, NPS 2 and smaller, shall be the following:
  - 1. Hard copper tube, ASTM B 88, Type L; wrought- copper solder-joint fittings; and soldered joints.

## 3.11 VALVE SCHEDULE

- A. Drawings indicate valve types to be used. Where specific valve types are not indicated, the following requirements apply:
  - 1. Shutoff Duty: Use ball valves for piping NPS 2 and smaller.
  - 2. Drain Duty: Hose-end drain valves.

**END OF SECTION 15140** 

# <u>SECTION 15145 - DOMESTIC WATER PIPING SPECIALTIES</u>

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following domestic water piping specialties:
  - 1. Backflow preventers.
  - Strainers.
  - Drain valves.

## 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Minimum Working Pressure for Domestic Water Piping Specialties: 125 psig, unless otherwise indicated.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Operation and Maintenance Data: For domestic water piping specialties to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. NSF Compliance:
  - 1. Comply with NSF 61, "Drinking Water System Components Health Effects; Sections 1 through 9."

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 BACKFLOW PREVENTERS

A. Reduced-Pressure-Principle Backflow Preventers:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Ames Co.
  - b. Conbraco Industries, Inc.
  - c. FEBCO; SPX Valves & Controls.
  - d. Flomatic Corporation.
  - e. Watts Industries, Inc.; Water Products Div.
  - f. Zurn Plumbing Products Group; Wilkins Div.
- 2. Standard: ASSE 1013.
- 3. Operation: Continuous-pressure applications.
- 4. Pressure Loss: 12 psig maximum, through middle 1/3 of flow range.
- 5. Body: Bronze for NPS 2 and smaller.
- 6. End Connections: Threaded for NPS 2 and smaller.
- 7. Configuration: Designed for horizontal, straight through flow.
- 8. Accessories:
  - a. Valves: Ball type with threaded ends on inlet and outlet of NPS 2 and smaller.

## 2.2 STRAINERS FOR DOMESTIC WATER PIPING

- A. Y-Pattern Strainers:
  - 1. Pressure Rating: 125 psig minimum, unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Body: Bronze for NPS 2 and smaller.
  - 3. End Connections: Threaded for NPS 2 and smaller.
  - 4. Screen: Stainless steel with round perforations, unless otherwise indicated.
  - Perforation Size:
    - a. Strainers NPS 2 and Smaller: 0.020 inch.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Refer to Division 15 Section "Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods" for piping joining materials, joint construction, and basic installation requirements.
- B. Install backflow preventer in new water make-up system.
  - 1. Locate backflow preventer in boiler room as shown.
  - 2. Install drain for backflow preventer with pipe separation of at least two pipe diameters in drain piping and pipe to floor drain. Simple air breaks are not acceptable for this application.
  - 3. Do not install bypass piping around backflow preventers.
- C. Install Y-pattern strainers for water on supply side of water pressure-reducing valve.

# 3.2 CONNECTIONS

A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Division 15 Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping and specialties.

# 3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and prepare test reports:
  - 1. Test each reduced-pressure-principle backflow preventer according to authorities having jurisdiction and the device's reference standard.
- B. Remove and replace malfunctioning domestic water piping specialties and retest as specified above.

**END OF SECTION 15145** 

# **SECTION 15181 - HYDRONIC PIPING**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes pipe and fitting materials, joining methods, special-duty valves, and specialties for the following:
  - 1. Hot-water heating piping.
  - 2. Makeup-water piping.
  - 3. Condensate-drain piping.
  - 4. Air-vent piping.
  - 5. Safety-valve-inlet and -outlet piping.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 15 Section "Hydronic Pumps" for pumps, motors, and accessories for hydronic piping.
  - 2. Division 15 Section "Domestic Water Piping."
  - 3. Division 15 Section "Domestic Water Piping Specialties."

## 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Hydronic piping components and installation shall be capable of withstanding the following minimum working pressure and temperature:
  - 1. Hot-Water Heating Piping: 125 psig at 225°F.
  - 2. Makeup-Water Piping: 125 psig at 80°F.
  - 3. Condensate-Drain Piping: 200°F.
  - 4. Air-Vent Piping: 225°F.
  - 5. Safety-Valve-Inlet and -Outlet Piping: Equal to the pressure of the piping system to which it is attached.

# 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following:
  - 1. Valves. Include flow and pressure drop curves based on manufacturer's testing for balancing valves and automatic flow-control valves.
  - 2. Air control devices.
  - Chemical treatment.

- 4. Hydronic specialties.
- B. Welding certificates.
- C. Operation and Maintenance Data: For air control devices, hydronic specialties, and special-duty valves to include in operation and maintenance manuals.
- D. Water Analysis: Submit a copy of the water analysis to illustrate water quality available at Project site.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Steel Support Welding: Qualify processes and operators according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code Steel."
- B. Welding: Qualify processes and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX.
  - 1. Certify that each welder has passed AWS qualification tests for welding processes involved and that certification is current.
- C. ASME Compliance: Comply with ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping," for materials, products, and installation. Safety valves and pressure vessels shall bear the appropriate ASME label. Fabricate and stamp air separators and expansion tanks to comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 COPPER TUBE AND FITTINGS

- A. Drawn-Temper Copper Tubing: Type L above floor.
- B. Wrought-Copper Fittings: ASME B16.22.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Anvil International, Inc.
    - b. S. P. Fittings; a division of Star Pipe Products.
- C. Wrought-Copper Unions: ASME B16.22.

#### 2.2 STEEL PIPE AND FITTINGS

A. Steel Pipe: ASTM A 53/A 53M, black steel with plain ends; type, grade, and wall thickness as indicated in Part 3 "Piping Applications" Article.

- B. Cast-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.4; Classes 125 and 250 as indicated in Part 3 "Piping Applications" Article.
- C. Malleable-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.3, Classes 150 and 300 as indicated in Part 3 "Piping Applications" Article.
- D. Malleable-Iron Unions: ASME B16.39; Classes 150, 250, and 300 as indicated in Part 3 "Piping Applications" Article.
- E. Cast-Iron Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.1, Classes 25, 125, and 250; raised ground face, and bolt holes spot faced as indicated in Part 3 "Piping Applications" Article.
- F. Wrought-Steel Fittings: ASTM A 234/A 234M, wall thickness to match adjoining pipe.
- G. Wrought Cast- and Forged-Steel Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.5, including bolts, nuts, and gaskets of the following material group, end connections, and facings:
  - 1. Material Group: 1.1.
  - 2. End Connections: Butt welding.
  - 3. Facings: Raised face.

#### 2.3 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
  - 1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos free, maximum thickness unless thickness or specific material is indicated.
    - a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
    - b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
- B. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Solder filler metals: ASTM B32, Lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B813.
- D. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12/D10.12M for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.
- E. Gasket Material: Thickness, material, and type suitable for fluid to be handled and working temperatures and pressures.

## 2.4 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

A. Description: Combination fitting of copper-alloy and ferrous materials with threaded, solder-joint, plain, or weld-neck end connections that match piping system materials.

- B. Insulating Material: Suitable for system fluid, pressure, and temperature.
- C. Dielectric Unions:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Capitol Manufacturing Company.
    - b. Hart Industries International, Inc.
    - c. Watts Regulator Co.; a division of Watts Water Technologies, Inc.
    - d. Zurn Plumbing Products Group; AquaSpec Commercial Products Division.
  - 2. Factory-fabricated union assembly, for minimum working pressure.

## 2.5 VALVES

- A. Provide Check, Ball, and Butterfly Valves as shown on drawings.
- B. Automatic Temperature-Control Valves and Actuators: Existing Reused.
- C. Bronze Balancing Valves:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Bell & Gossett Domestic Pump; a division of ITT Industries.
    - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
    - c. Flow Design Inc.
    - d. Griswold Controls.
  - 2. Body: Bronze ball type.
  - 3. Ball: Brass or stainless steel.
  - 4. Plug: Resin.
  - 5. Seat: PTFE.
  - 6. End Connections: Threaded.
  - 7. Handle Style: Lever, with memory stop to retain set position.
  - 8. CWP Rating: Minimum.
  - 9. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250°F.
- D. Cast-Iron or Steel Balancing Valves:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Bell & Gossett Domestic Pump; a division of ITT Industries.
    - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
    - c. Flow Design Inc.
    - d. Griswold Controls.
  - 2. Body: Cast-iron or steel body, ball pattern with calibrated orifice or venturi.
  - Ball: Brass or stainless steel.

- 4. Stem Seals: EPDM O-rings.
- 5. Disc: Glass and carbon-filled PTFE.
- 6. Seat: PTFE.
- 7. End Connections: Flanged.
- 8. Handle Style: Lever, with memory stop to retain set position.
- 9. CWP Rating: Minimum.
- 10. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250°F.

# E. Diaphragm-Operated, Pressure-Reducing Valves:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Bell & Gossett Domestic Pump; a division of ITT Industries.
  - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - c. Amtrol, Inc.
  - d. Conbraco Industries, Inc.
  - e. Spence Engineering Company, Inc.
  - f. Watts Regulator Co.; a division of Watts Water Technologies, Inc.
- 2. Body: Bronze or brass.
- 3. Disc: Glass and carbon-filled PTFE.
- 4. Seat: Brass.
- 5. Stem Seals: EPDM O-rings.
- 6. Diaphragm: EPT.
- 7. Low inlet-pressure check valve.
- 8. Valve Seat and Stem: Noncorrosive.
- 9. Valve Size, Capacity, and Operating Pressure: Selected to suit system in which installed, with operating pressure and capacity factory set and field adjustable.

## F. Diaphragm-Operated Safety Valves:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Bell & Gossett Domestic Pump; a division of ITT Industries.
  - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - c. Amtrol, Inc.
  - d. Conbraco Industries, Inc.
  - e. Spence Engineering Company, Inc.
  - f. Watts Regulator Co.; a division of Watts Water Technologies, Inc.
- 2. Body: Bronze or brass.
- 3. Disc: Glass and carbon-filled PTFE.
- 4. Seat: Brass.
- 5. Stem Seals: EPDM O-rings.
- 6. Diaphragm: EPT.
- 7. Wetted, Internal Work Parts: Brass and rubber.
- 8. Valve Seat and Stem: Noncorrosive.

9. Valve Size, Capacity, and Operating Pressure: Comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IV, and selected to suit system in which installed, with operating pressure and capacity factory set and field adjustable.

#### G. Automatic Flow-Control Valves:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Dan-Ross.
  - b. Honeywell.
  - c. Johnson.
  - d. Flow Design Inc.
  - e. Griswold Controls.
- 2. Body: Brass or ferrous metal.
- 3. Piston and Spring Assembly: Stainless steel, tamper proof, self cleaning, and removable.
- 4. Combination Assemblies: Include bonze or brass-alloy ball valve.
- 5. Identification Tag: Marked with zone identification, valve number, and flow rate.
- 6. Size: Same as pipe in which installed.
- 7. Performance: Maintain constant flow, plus or minus 5 percent over system pressure fluctuations.
- 8. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250°F.

#### 2.6 AIR CONTROL DEVICES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Bell & Gossett Domestic Pump; a division of ITT Industries.
  - 2. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - 3. Amtrol, Inc.

## B. Manual Air Vents:

- 1. Body: Bronze.
- 2. Internal Parts: Nonferrous.
- 3. Operator: Screwdriver or thumbscrew.
- 4. Inlet Connection: NPS 1/2.
- 5. Discharge Connection: NPS 1/8.
- 6. CWP Rating: 150 psig.
- 7. Maximum Operating Temperature: 225 deg F.

#### C. Automatic Air Vents:

- 1. Body: Bronze or cast iron.
- 2. Internal Parts: Nonferrous.
- 3. Operator: Noncorrosive metal float.
- 4. Inlet Connection: See drawings.

- 5. Discharge Connection: NPS 1/4.
- 6. CWP Rating: 150 psig.
- 7. Maximum Operating Temperature: 240 deg F.

# D. Diaphragm-Type Expansion Tanks:

- 1. Tank: Welded steel, rated for 125-psig working pressure and 375 deg F maximum operating temperature. Factory test with taps fabricated and supports installed and labeled according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1.
- 2. Diaphragm: Securely sealed into tank to separate air charge from system water to maintain required expansion capacity.
- 3. Air-Charge Fittings: Schrader valve, stainless steel with EPDM seats.

# E. Tangential-Type Air Separators:

- 1. Tank: Welded steel; ASME constructed and labeled for 125-psig minimum working pressure and 375 deg F maximum operating temperature.
- 2. Air Collector Tube: Perforated stainless steel, constructed to direct released air into expansion tank.
- 3. Tangential Inlet and Outlet Connections: Threaded for NPS 2 and smaller; flanged connections for NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
- 4. Blowdown Connection: Threaded.
- 5. Size: Match system flow capacity.

#### 2.7 CHEMICAL TREATMENT

- A. Bypass Chemical Feeder: Welded steel construction; working pressure; capacity; with fill funnel and inlet, outlet, and drain valves.
  - 1. Chemicals: Specially formulated, based on analysis of makeup water, to prevent accumulation of scale and corrosion in piping and connected equipment.

## 2.8 HYDRONIC PIPING SPECIALTIES

- A. Y-Pattern Strainers: For make-up water.
  - 1. Body: ASTM A 126, Class B, cast iron with bolted cover and bottom drain connection.
  - 2. End Connections: Threaded ends for and smaller; flanged ends for and larger.
  - 3. Strainer Screen: 40-mesh startup strainer, and perforated stainless-steel basket with 50 percent free area.
  - 4. CWP Rating: 150 psig.

# B. Stainless-Steel Bellow, Flexible Connectors:

- 1. Body: Stainless-steel bellows with woven, flexible, bronze, wire-reinforcing protective jacket.
- 2. End Connections: Threaded or flanged to match equipment connected.

- 3. Performance: Capable of misalignment.
- 4. CWP Rating: 150 psig.
- 5. Maximum Operating Temperature: 225°F.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 PIPING APPLICATIONS

- A. Hot-water heating piping, located in boiler room, 3" and smaller, shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type L, Hard Drawn Temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings and soldered joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40 steel pipe; Class 150, malleable-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints for 2" and smaller, welded for 2-1/2" and larger.
- B. Makeup-water piping installed aboveground shall be the following:
  - 1. Type L, hard drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
- C. Condensate-Drain Piping: Type L, hard drawn copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.
- D. Air-Vent Piping:
  - 1. Inlet: Same as service piping.
  - 2. Outlet: Type L, copper tubing with soldered or flared joints or sch. 40 carbon steel piping.
- E. Safety-Valve-Inlet and -Outlet Piping for Hot-Water Piping: Same materials as service piping.

## 3.2 VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. Install shutoff-duty valves where shown on drawings.
- B. Install balancing valves at discharge of each pump.
- C. Install wafer type check valves at each pump discharge to control flow direction.
- D. Install safety valves on make up water line to systems and pipe drain to nearest floor drain or as indicated on Drawings. Comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1, for installation requirements.
- E. Install pressure-reducing valves at makeup-water connection to regulate system fill pressure.

## 3.3 PIPING INSTALLATIONS

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Indicate piping locations and arrangements if such were used to size pipe and calculate friction loss, expansion, pump sizing, and other design considerations. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install all piping indicated at right angles and parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited.
- C. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- D. Install piping at indicated slopes.
- E. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- F. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- G. Install piping to allow application of insulation.
- H. Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.
- I. Install groups of pipes parallel to each other, spaced to permit applying insulation and servicing of valves.
- J. Install drains, consisting of a tee fitting, ball valve, and short threaded nipple with cap, at low points in piping system mains and elsewhere as required for system drainage.
- K. Install piping at a uniform grade of 0.2 percent upward in direction of flow.
- L. Reduce pipe sizes using eccentric reducer fitting installed with level side up.
- M. Install branch connections to mains using tee fittings in main pipe, with the branch connected to the bottom of the main pipe. For up-feed risers, connect the branch to the top of the main pipe.
- N. Install unions in piping, 2" and smaller, adjacent to valves, at final connections of equipment, and elsewhere as indicated.
- O. Install flanges in piping, 2-1/2" and larger, at final connections of equipment and elsewhere as indicated.
- P. Install strainers on inlet side of control valve, pressure-reducing valve, and elsewhere as indicated. Install nipple and ball valve in blowdown connection of strainers 2-1/2" and larger. Match size of strainer blowoff connection for strainers smaller than 2".
- Q. Identify piping as specified in Division 15 Section "Mechanical Identification."

## 3.4 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Hanger, support, and anchor devices are specified in Division 15 Section "Hangers and Supports." Comply with the following requirements for maximum spacing of supports.
- B. Seismic restraints are specified in Division 15 Section "Mechanical Vibration and Seismic Controls."
- C. Install the following pipe attachments:
  - 1. Adjustable steel clevis hangers for individual horizontal piping.
  - 2. Spring hangers to support vertical runs at pump inlet and outlets.
  - 3. Provide copper-clad hangers and supports for hangers and supports in direct contact with copper pipe.
- D. Install hangers for steel piping with the following maximum spacing and minimum rod sizes:
  - 1. NPS 3/4: Maximum span, 7 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  - 2. NPS 1: Maximum span, 7 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  - 3. NPS 1-1/2: Maximum span, 9 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 4. NPS 2: Maximum span, 10 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 5. NPS 2-1/2: Maximum span, 11 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 6. NPS 3: Maximum span, 12 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
- E. Support vertical runs at floor.
- F. Install hangers for drawn-temper copper piping with the following maximum spacing and minimum rod sizes:
  - 1. NPS 3/4: Maximum span, 5 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  - 2. NPS 1: Maximum span, 6 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  - 3. NPS 1-1/2: Maximum span, 8 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 4. NPS 2: Maximum span, 8 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 5. NPS 2-1/2: Maximum span, 9 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  - 6. NPS 3: Maximum span, 10 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.

#### 3.5 PIPE JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Join pipe and fittings according to the following requirements and Division 15 Sections specifying piping systems.
- B. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- C. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.
- D. Threaded Joints: Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:

- 1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dry seal threading is specified.
- Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged. Do not use pipe sections that have cracked or open welds.
- E. Welded Joints: Construct joints according to AWS D10.12/D10.12M, using qualified processes and welding operators according to Part 1 "Quality Assurance" Article.
- F. Flanged Joints: Select appropriate gasket material, size, type, and thickness for service application. Install gasket concentrically positioned. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads.
- G. Soldered joints: Apply ASTM B813 water-flushable flux, to tube end. Construct joints according to ASTM B828 or CDA's, "Copper Tube Handbook" using lead-free soder alloy complying with ASTM B32.

## 3.6 HYDRONIC SPECIALTIES INSTALLATION

- A. Install manual air vents at high and low points in piping and elsewhere as required for system air venting.
- B. Install automatic air vents at high points of expansion tank and air eliminator.
- C. Install tangential air eliminator in pump suction. Install blowdown piping with full-port ball valve; extend full size to nearest floor drain.
- D. Install bypass chemical feeders in hydronic system where indicated, in upright position. Install feeder in minimum bypass line, from main with full-size, full-port, ball valve in the main between bypass connections. Install pipe from chemical feeder drain, to nearest equipment drain and include a full-size, full-port, ball valve.
- E. Install tank fitting in tank bottom and charge tank. Use manual vent for initial fill to establish proper water level in tank.
  - 1. Install tank fittings that are shipped loose.
  - 2. Support tank from floor with sufficient strength to carry weight of tank, piping connections, fittings, plus tank full of water. Do not overload building components and structural members.
- F. Install expansion tanks on the floor. Vent and purge air from hydronic system, and ensure tank is properly charged with air to suit system Project requirements.

# 3.7 TERMINAL EQUIPMENT CONNECTIONS

- A. Sizes for supply and return piping connections shall be the same as or larger than equipment connections.
- B. Install control valves in accessible locations close to connected equipment.

C. Install ports for pressure gages and thermometers at locations shown according to Division 15 Section "Meters and Gages."

#### 3.8 CHEMICAL TREATMENT

- A. Perform an analysis of makeup water to determine type and quantities of chemical treatment needed to keep system free of scale, corrosion, and fouling.
  - 1. Chemicals:
    - a. PECO 5483 Liquid Cleaner
    - b. PECO 8410 Non-Chromate, Borate-Nitrite corrosion inhibiton.
  - 2. Equipment: (to be mounted as per drawings)
    - a. One (1) PECO type A bypass feeder for hot water system.
  - 3. Cleaning New piping only, valve off from existing piping:
    - a. Cleaning shall be performed by the contractor under the supervision of the chemical supplier at the time of start up. The new piping shall be filled with water and checked for leakage and debris. Add the proper dosage of 5483 liquid cleaner and circulate for 24 hours at required temperature. Drain and flush piping, clean the strainers. Flush until system pH is no more than eight.

## 4. Control:

a. The contractor shall provide a PECO Nitrate drop test kit for checking the concentration of 8410 in the system.

#### 5. Service:

- a. The contractor shall provide initial and continuing field service to fulfill the requirements and objectives of the General Water Treatment Specifications.
- B. Fill new piping with fresh water and add liquid alkaline compound with emulsifying agents and detergents to remove grease and petroleum products from piping. Circulate solution for a minimum of 24 hours, drain, clean strainer screens, and refill with fresh water.
- C. Add initial chemical treatment and maintain water quality in ranges noted above for the first year of operation.

## 3.9 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Prepare hydronic piping according to ASME B31.9 and as follows:

- 1. Leave joints, including welds, uninsulated and exposed for examination during test
- 2. Flush new hydronic piping systems with clean water; then remove and clean or replace strainer screens.
- 3. Isolate equipment from piping. If a valve is used to isolate equipment, its closure shall be capable of sealing against test pressure without damage to valve. Install blinds in flanged joints to isolate equipment.
- 4. Install safety valve, set at a pressure no more than one-third higher than test pressure, to protect against damage by expanding liquid or other source of overpressure during test.

# B. Perform the following tests on hydronic piping:

- 1. Use ambient temperature water as a testing medium.
- 2. While filling system, use vents installed at high points of system to release air. Use drains installed at low points for complete draining of test liquid.
- 3. Isolate expansion tanks and determine that hydronic system is full of water.
- 4. Subject piping system to hydrostatic test pressure of 100 psig. Test pressure shall not exceed maximum pressure for any vessel, pump, valve, or other component in system under test. Verify that stress due to pressure at bottom of vertical runs does not exceed 90 percent of specified minimum yield strength or 1.7 times "SE" value in Appendix A in ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping."
- 5. After hydrostatic test pressure has been applied for at least 4 hours, examine piping, joints, and connections for leakage. Eliminate leaks by tightening, repairing, or replacing components, and repeat hydrostatic test until there are no leaks.
- 6. Prepare written report of testing.

## C. Perform the following before operating the system:

- 1. Open manual valves fully.
- 2. Inspect pumps for proper rotation.
- 3. Set makeup pressure-reducing valves for required system pressure.
- 4. Inspect air vents at high points of system and determine if all are installed and operating freely (automatic type), or bleed air completely (manual type).
- 5. Inspect and set operating temperatures of hydronic equipment, such as new boiler, to specified values.
- 6. Verify lubrication of motors and bearings.

**END OF SECTION 15181** 

# **SECTION 15185 - HYDRONIC PUMPS**

#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Separately coupled, base-mounted, end-suction centrifugal pumps.

#### 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. Buna-N: Nitrile rubber.
- B. EPT: Ethylene propylene terpolymer.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Include certified performance curves and rated capacities, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, final impeller dimensions, and accessories for each type of product indicated. Indicate pump's operating point on curves.
- B. Shop Drawings: Show pump layout and connections. Include setting drawings with templates for installing foundation and anchor bolts and other anchorages.
  - 1. Wiring Diagrams: Power, signal, and control wiring.
- C. Operation and Maintenance Data: For pumps to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Limitations: Obtain hydronic pumps through one source from a single manufacturer.
- B. Product Options: Drawings indicate size, profiles, and dimensional requirements of hydronic pumps and are based on the specific system indicated. Refer to Division 1 Section "Product Requirements."

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- C. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, Article 100, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and marked for intended use.
- D. UL Compliance: Comply with UL 778 for motor-operated water pumps.

# 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Manufacturer's Preparation for Shipping: Clean flanges and exposed machined metal surfaces and treat with anticorrosion compound after assembly and testing. Protect flanges, pipe openings, and nozzles with wooden flange covers or with screwed-in plugs.
- B. Store pumps in dry location.
- C. Retain protective covers for flanges and protective coatings during storage.
- D. Protect bearings and couplings against damage from sand, grit, and other foreign matter.
- E. Comply with pump manufacturer's written rigging instructions.

## 1.7 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate size and location of concrete bases. Cast anchor-bolt inserts into bases.

#### 1.8 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. Furnish extra materials described below that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Mechanical Seals: One mechanical seal for each pump.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. In other Part 2 articles where titles below introduce lists, the following requirements apply to product selection:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the manufacturers specified.

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# 2.2 SEPARATELY COUPLED, BASE-MOUNTED, END-SUCTION CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS

#### A. Manufacturers:

- 1. Bell & Gossett; Div. of ITT Industries model 1510 or approved equal by:
- 2. Armstrong Pumps Inc.
- 3. PACO Pumps.
- 4. Thrush Company Inc.
- 5. Weinman; Div. of Crane Pumps & Systems.
- B. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested, centrifugal, overhung-impeller, separately coupled, end-suction pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3; designed for base mounting, with pump and motor shafts horizontal. Rate pump for 125-psig minimum working pressure and a continuous water temperature of 200 deg F.

# C. Pump Construction:

- 1. Casing: Radially split, cast iron, with threaded gage tappings at inlet and outlet, drain plug at bottom and air vent at top of volute, and flanged connections. Provide integral mount on volute to support the casing, and attached piping to allow removal and replacement of impeller without disconnecting piping or requiring the realignment of pump and motor shaft.
- 2. Impeller: ASTM B 584, cast bronze; statically and dynamically balanced, keyed to shaft, and secured with a locking cap screw. Trim impeller to match specified performance.
- 3. Pump Shaft: Stainless steel.
- 4. Mechanical Seal: Carbon rotating ring against a ceramic seat held by a stainless-steel spring, and Buna-N bellows and gasket.
- 5. Packing Seal: Stuffing box, with a minimum of four rings of graphite-impregnated braided yarn with bronze lantern ring between center two graphite rings, and bronze packing gland.
- 6. Pump Bearings: Grease-lubricated ball bearings contained in cast-iron housing with grease fittings.
- D. Shaft Coupling: Molded rubber insert and interlocking spider capable of absorbing vibration. Couplings shall be drop-out type to allow disassembly and removal without removing pump shaft or motor.
- E. Coupling Guard: Dual rated; ANSI B15.1, Section 8; OSHA 1910.219 approved; steel; removable; attached to mounting frame.
- F. Mounting Frame: Welded-steel frame and cross members, factory fabricated from ASTM A 36/A 36M channels and angles. Fabricate to mount pump casing, coupling guard, and motor.
- G. Motor: Single speed, with permanently lubricated ball bearings, unless otherwise indicated; secured to mounting frame, with adjustable alignment.
- H. Capacities and Characteristics:

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- 1. Capacity: See schedule.
- 2. Total Dynamic Head: See schedule.
- 3. Maximum Operating Pressure: 125 psig.
- 4. Maximum Continuous Operating Temperature: 200 deg F.
- 5. Inlet and Outlet Size: See schedule.
- 6. Motor Horsepower: See schedule.
- 7. Electrical Characteristics: See schedule.

#### 2.3 PUMP SPECIALTY FITTINGS

A. Suction Diffuser: Angle pattern, 175-psig pressure rating, cast-iron body and end cap, pump-inlet fitting; with bronze startup and bronze or stainless-steel permanent strainers; bronze or stainless-steel straightening vanes; drain plug; and factory-fabricated support.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine new pump bases and anchor-bolt locations for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for piping systems to verify actual locations of piping connections before pump installation.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 CONCRETE BASES

- A. Install concrete bases of dimensions indicated for pumps and controllers. Refer to Division 15 Section "Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods."
  - 1. Install new dowel rods to connect new concrete base to existing concrete floor. Install dowel rods on 18-inch centers around full perimeter of base.
  - 2. For supported equipment, install epoxy-coated anchor bolts that extend through concrete base and anchor into structural concrete floor.
  - 3. Place and secure anchorage devices. Use setting drawings, templates, diagrams, instructions, and directions furnished with items to be embedded.
  - 4. Install anchor bolts to elevations required for proper attachment to supported equipment.

# 3.3 PUMP INSTALLATION

A. Install pumps with access for periodic maintenance including removal of motors, impellers, couplings, and accessories.

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- B. Independently support pumps and piping so weight of piping is not supported by pumps and weight of pumps is not supported by piping.
- C. Install continuous-thread hanger rods and spring hangers of sufficient size to support pump weight. Fabricate brackets or supports as required. Hanger and support materials are specified in Division 15 Section "Hangers and Supports."
- D. Set base-mounted pumps on concrete foundation. Disconnect coupling before setting. Do not reconnect couplings until alignment procedure is complete.
  - 1. Support pump baseplate on rectangular metal blocks and shims, or on metal wedges with small taper, at points near foundation bolts to provide a gap of 3/4 to 1-1/2 inches between pump base and foundation for grouting.
  - 2. Adjust metal supports or wedges until pump and driver shafts are level. Check coupling faces and suction and discharge flanges of pump to verify that they are level and plumb.

# 3.4 ALIGNMENT

- A. Align pump and motor shafts and piping connections after setting on foundation, grout has been set and foundation bolts have been tightened, and piping connections have been made.
- B. Comply with pump and coupling manufacturers' written instructions.
- C. Adjust pump and motor shafts for angular and offset alignment by methods specified in HI 1.1-1.5, "Centrifugal Pumps for Nomenclature, Definitions, Application and Operation."
- D. After alignment is correct, tighten foundation bolts evenly but not too firmly. Completely fill baseplate with nonshrink, nonmetallic grout while metal blocks and shims or wedges are in place. After grout has cured, fully tighten foundation bolts.

# 3.5 CONNECTIONS

- A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Division 15 Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Install piping adjacent to machine to allow service and maintenance.
- C. Connect piping to pumps. Install valves that are same size as piping connected to pumps.
- D. Install suction and discharge pipe sizes equal to or greater than diameter of pump nozzles.
- E. Install check valve, butterfly valve and throttling on discharge side of pumps.
- F. Install suction diffuser and shutoff valve on suction side of pumps.

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- G. Install flexible connectors on suction and discharge sides of base-mounted pumps between pump casing and valves.
- H. Install pressure gages on pump suction and discharge, at integral pressure-gage tapping.
- I. Install electrical connections for power, controls, and devices.
- J. Ground equipment.

## 3.6 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform startup service.
  - 1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. Check piping connections for tightness.
  - 3. Clean strainers on suction piping.
  - 4. Perform the following startup checks for each pump before starting:
    - a. Verify bearing lubrication.
    - b. Verify that pump is free to rotate by hand and that pump for handling hot liquid is free to rotate with pump hot and cold. If pump is bound or drags, do not operate until cause of trouble is determined and corrected.
    - c. Verify that pump is rotating in the correct direction.
  - 5. Prime pump by opening suction valves and closing drains, and prepare pump for operation.
  - 6. Start motor.
  - 7. Open discharge valve slowly.

## 3.7 DEMONSTRATION

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain hydronic pumps. Refer to Division 1 Section "Closeout Procedures and Demonstration and Training."

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# SECTION 15195 - FACILITY NATURAL-GAS PIPING

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

# 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

A. Remove existing gas train back to existing reducer as shown on the drawing. Provide new gas piping from existing reducer to new boiler. Replace old gas train with new CSD-1 gas train.

## B. Section Includes:

- 1. Pipes, tubes, and fittings.
- 2. Piping specialties.
- 3. Piping and tubing joining materials.
- Valves.
- 5. Pressure regulators.

# 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Minimum Operating-Pressure Ratings:
  - 1. Piping and Valves: 100 psig minimum unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Service Regulators: 100 psig minimum unless otherwise indicated.

# 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following:
  - 1. Piping specialties.
  - 2. Valves. Include pressure rating, capacity, settings, and electrical connection data of selected models.
  - 3. Pressure regulators. Indicate pressure ratings and capacities.
- B. Welding certificates.
- C. Operation and Maintenance Data: For motorized gas valves and pressure regulators to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

# 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Pipe Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- B. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

# 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Handling Flammable Liquids: Remove and dispose of liquids from existing natural-gas piping according to requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Deliver pipes and tubes with factory-applied end caps. Maintain end caps through shipping, storage, and handling to prevent pipe end damage and to prevent entrance of dirt, debris, and moisture.
- C. Store and handle pipes and tubes having factory-applied protective coatings to avoid damaging coating, and protect from direct sunlight.

# 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Interruption of Existing Natural-Gas Service: Do not interrupt natural-gas service to facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions:
  - 1. Notify Owner no fewer than 72 hours in advance of proposed interruption of natural-gas service.
  - 2. Do not proceed with interruption of natural-gas service without Owner's written permission.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 PIPES, TUBES, AND FITTINGS

- A. Steel Pipe: ASTM A 53/A 53M, black steel, Schedule 40, Type E or S, Grade B.
  - 1. Malleable-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.3, Class 150, standard pattern.
  - 2. Unions: ASME B16.39, Class 150, malleable iron with brass-to-iron seat, ground joint, and threaded ends.

#### 2.2 PIPING SPECIALTIES

A. Weatherproof Vent Cap: Cast- or malleable-iron increaser fitting with corrosion-resistant wire screen, with free area at least equal to cross-sectional area of connecting pipe and threaded-end connection.

# 2.3 **JOINING MATERIALS**

A. Joint Compound and Tape: Suitable for natural gas.

# 2.4 MANUAL GAS SHUTOFF VALVES

- A. See "Aboveground Manual Gas Shutoff Valve Schedule" Articles for where each valve type is applied in various services.
- B. General Requirements for Metallic Valves, NPS 2 and Smaller: Comply with ASME B16.33.
  - 1. CWP Rating: 125 psig.
  - 2. Threaded Ends: Comply with ASME B1.20.1.
  - 3. Listing: Listed and labeled by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for valves 1 inch and smaller.
  - 4. Service Mark: Valves 1-1/4 inches to NPS 2 shall have initials "WOG" permanently marked on valve body.
- C. Two-Piece, Full-Port, Bronze Ball Valves with Bronze Trim: MSS SP-110.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Kitz
    - b. Conbraco Industries, Inc.; Apollo Div.
    - c. McDonald, A. Y. Mfg. Co.
    - d. BrassCraft Manufacturing Company; a Masco company.
  - 2. Body: Bronze, complying with ASTM B 584.
  - 3. Ball: Chrome-plated bronze.
  - 4. Stem: Bronze; blowout proof.
  - 5. Seats: Reinforced TFE; blowout proof.
  - 6. Packing: Threaded-body packnut design with adjustable-stem packing.
  - 7. Ends: Threaded, as indicated in "Aboveground Manual Gas Shutoff Valve Schedule" Articles.
  - 8. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
  - 9. Listing: Valves NPS 1 and smaller shall be listed and labeled by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 10. Service: Suitable for natural-gas service with "WOG" indicated on valve body.

# 2.5 MOTORIZED GAS VALVES

- A. Automatic Gas Valves: Comply with ANSI Z21.21.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. ASCO Power Technologies, LP; Division of Emerson.

- b. Dungs, Karl, Inc.
- c. Eaton Corporation; Controls Div.
- d. Eclipse Combustion, Inc.
- e. Honeywell International Inc.
- f. Johnson Controls.
- 2. Body: Brass or aluminum.
- 3. Seats and Disc: Nitrile rubber.
- 4. Springs and Valve Trim: Stainless steel.
- 5. Normally closed.
- 6. Visual position indicator.
- 7. Electrical operator for actuation by appliance automatic shutoff device.
- B. Electrically Operated Valves: Comply with UL 429.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. ASCO Power Technologies, LP; Division of Emerson.
    - b. Dungs, Karl, Inc.
    - c. Eclipse Combustion, Inc.
    - d. Goyen Valve Corp.; Tyco Environmental Systems.
    - e. Magnatrol Valve Corporation.
    - f. Parker Hannifin Corporation; Climate & Industrial Controls Group; Skinner Valve Div.
    - g. Watts Regulator Co.; Division of Watts Water Technologies, Inc.
  - 2. Pilot operated.
  - 3. Body: Brass or aluminum.
  - 4. Seats and Disc: Nitrile rubber.
  - 5. Springs and Valve Trim: Stainless steel.
  - 6. 120-V ac, 60 Hz, Class B, continuous-duty molded coil, and replaceable.
  - 7. NEMA ICS 6. Type 4. coil enclosure.
  - 8. Normally closed.
  - 9. Visual position indicator.

#### 2.6 PRESSURE REGULATORS

- A. General Requirements:
  - 1. Single stage and suitable for natural gas.
  - 2. Steel jacket and corrosion-resistant components.
  - 3. Elevation compensator.
  - 4. End Connections: Threaded for regulators NPS 2 and smaller.
- B. Service Pressure Regulators: Comply with ANSI Z21.80.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

- a. Fisher Control Valves and Regulators; Division of Emerson Process Management.
- b. Actaris.
- c. American Meter Company.
- d. Invensys.
- e. Richards Industries; Jordan Valve Div.
- 2. Body and Diaphragm Case: Cast iron or die-cast aluminum.
- 3. Springs: Zinc-plated steel; interchangeable.
- 4. Diaphragm Plate: Zinc-plated steel.
- 5. Seat Disc: Nitrile rubber resistant to gas impurities, abrasion, and deformation at the valve port.
- 6. Orifice: Aluminum; interchangeable.
- 7. Seal Plug: Ultraviolet-stabilized, mineral-filled nylon.
- 8. Single-port, self-contained regulator with orifice no larger than required at maximum pressure inlet, and no pressure sensing piping external to the regulator.
- 9. Pressure regulator shall maintain discharge pressure setting downstream, and not exceed 150 percent of design discharge pressure at shutoff.
- 10. Overpressure Protection Device: Factory mounted on pressure regulator.
- 11. Atmospheric Vent: Factory- or field-installed, stainless-steel screen in opening if not connected to vent piping.
- 12. Maximum Inlet Pressure: 100 psig.

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine existing natural-gas piping system to verify actual locations of new piping connections before installation.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Close shutoff valve on existing gas train before turning off natural gas to premises.
- B. Inspect natural-gas piping according to NFPA 54 to determine that natural-gas utilization devices are turned off in piping section affected.
- C. Comply with NFPA 54 and the International Fuel Gas Code requirements for prevention of accidental ignition.

## 3.3 INDOOR PIPING INSTALLATION

A. Comply with Questar, NFPA 54, and the International Fuel Gas Code for installation and purging of natural-gas piping.

- B. Drawing plans indicate general location of new gas train location. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- C. Install gas piping indicated at right angles and parallel to boiler walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited.
- D. Install natural-gas piping at uniform grade of 2 percent down toward drip and sediment traps.
- E. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- F. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- G. Drips and Sediment Traps: Install drips at points where condensate may collect.
  - Construct drips and sediment traps using tee fitting with bottom outlet plugged or capped. Use nipple a minimum length of 3 pipe diameters, but not less than 3 inches long and same size as connected pipe. Install with space below bottom of drip to remove plug or cap.
- H. Extend relief vent connections for service regulators, line regulators, and overpressure protection devices to outdoors and terminate with weatherproof vent cap.
- I. Use eccentric reducer fittings to make reductions in pipe sizes. Install fittings with level side down.
- J. Install unions in pipes NPS 2 and smaller, adjacent to each valve, at final connection to each piece of equipment.
- K. Do not use natural-gas piping as grounding electrode.
- L. Install pressure gage upstream and downstream from each line regulator. Pressure gages are specified in Division 15 Section "Meters and Gages."

# 3.4 VALVE INSTALLATION

- A. Install manual gas shutoff valves where shown.
- B. Install regulators and overpressure protection devices with maintenance access space adequate for servicing and testing.

# 3.5 PIPING JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Ream ends of pipes and remove burrs.
- B. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.
- C. Threaded Joints:

- 1. Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads complying with ASME B1.20.1.
- 2. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies.
- 3. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full inside diameter of pipe.
- 4. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dryseal threading is specified.
- 5. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged.

## 3.6 CONNECTIONS

- A. Connect to existing gas piping in boiler room according to natural gas procedures and requirements.
- B. Sediment Traps: Install tee fitting with capped nipple in bottom to form drip, as shown on the drawings.

# 3.7 LABELING AND IDENTIFYING

A. Comply with requirements in Division 15 Section "Mechanical Identification" for piping and valve identification.

## 3.8 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
- B. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Test, inspect, and purge natural gas according to Questar, NFPA 54, and the International Fuel Gas Code.
- C. Natural-gas piping will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.

# 3.9 INDOOR PIPING SCHEDULE FOR SYSTEM PRESSURES LESS THAN 0.5 PSIG

- A. Aboveground, distribution piping shall be the following:
  - 1. Steel pipe with malleable-iron fittings and threaded joints.

# 3.10 INDOOR PIPING SCHEDULE FOR SYSTEM PRESSURES MORE THAN 0.5 PSIG AND LESS THAN 5 PSIG

- A. Aboveground, distribution piping shall be the following:
  - 1. Steel pipe with malleable-iron fittings and threaded joints.

# 3.11 ABOVEGROUND MANUAL GAS SHUTOFF VALVE SCHEDULE

- A. Distribution piping valves for pipe sizes NPS 2 and smaller shall be the following:
  - 1. Two-piece, full-port, bronze ball valves with bronze trim.

**END OF SECTION 15195** 

# **SECTION 15515 - WATER-TUBE BOILERS**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes packaged, steel flexible water-tube boiler, trim, and accessories for generating hot water with the following configurations, burners, and outputs:
  - 1. Factory assembled.
  - 2. Atmospheric gas burner.

# 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Include performance data, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, and accessories.
- B. Shop Drawings: For boiler, boiler trim, and accessories. Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Wiring Diagrams: Power, signal, and control wiring.
- C. Manufacturer Seismic Qualification Certification: Submit certification that boiler, accessories, and components will withstand seismic forces defined in Division 15 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment." Include the following:
  - 1. Basis for Certification: Indicate whether withstand certification is based on actual test of assembled components or on calculation.
    - a. The term "withstand" means "the unit will remain in place without separation of any parts from the device when subjected to the seismic forces specified."
- D. Source quality-control test reports.
- E. Field quality-control test reports.
- F. Operation and Maintenance Data: For boilers, components, and accessories to include in operation and maintenance manuals.
- G. Warranty: Special warranty specified in this Section.

# H. Other Informational Submittals:

1. Startup service reports.

# 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, Article 100, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and marked for intended use.
- B. ASME Compliance: Fabricate and label boiler to comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- C. ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1 Compliance: Boilers shall have minimum efficiency according to "Gas and Oil Fired Boilers Minimum Efficiency Requirements."
- D. DOE Compliance: Minimum efficiency shall comply with 10 CFR 430, Subpart B, Appendix N, "Uniform Test Method for Measuring the Energy Consumption of Furnaces and Boilers."
- E. I=B=R Compliance: Boilers shall be tested and rated according to HI's "Rating Procedure for Heating Boilers" and "Testing Standard for Commercial Boilers," with I=B=R emblem on a nameplate affixed to boiler.
- F. UL Compliance: Test boiler for compliance with UL 795, "Commercial-Industrial Gas Heating Equipment." Boiler shall be listed and labeled by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.

# 1.5 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate size and location of concrete bases with boiler purchased. Cast anchorbolt inserts into bases.

## 1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to repair or replace drums, tubes, headers, cabinets, atmospheric gas burners, and pressure vessels of new boiler if it fails in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Warranty Period for Drums, Tubes, Headers, Cabinets, and Atmospheric Gas Burner: Five years from date of Substantial Completion, pro rata.
  - 2. Warranty Period for Pressure Vessel: 25 years from date of Substantial Completion, for thermal shock on a non-prorated basis.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 STEEL FLEXIBLE WATER-TUBE BOILER

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Bryan, LLC.
  - 2. Ajax Boiler Inc.
  - 3. Cleaver-Brooks; div. of Aqua-Chem, Inc.
  - 4. Rite Engineering & Manufacturing Corporation.
  - 5. Prior approved equal.
- B. Description: Provide the hot water boiler as detailed and scheduled on the drawings.
- C. The boiler shall be constructed and assembled as a completely packaged unit ready for field connections to the water supply, return connection, electrical power supply, natural gas supply, relief valve discharge, building management controls and flue-gas vent.
- D. The water boiler shall be manufactured in strict accordance with the ASME Heating Boiler Code, Section IV, and shall bear the ASME stamp "H" for a maximum working pressure of 160 PSIG at 250°F temperature.
- E. The boiler shall also be built to withstand 150 degree delta "T."
- F. The boiler shall have no less than 5 square feet of heating surface per boiler horsepower.
- G. Vessel and tube construction:
  - 1. The boiler shall be constructed on a heavy steel frame and provided with adequately sized upper and lower water drums. A minimum of two downcomers shall be provided and be located inside the furnace chamber.
  - 2. External water circulation source is not approved.
  - 3. Steel water tubes shall be 1" O.D., .095 wall thickness minimum, four-pass, flexible serpentine bend design. Individual water tubes shall be easily removable and replaceable without either welding or rolling. The boiler shall have no more than two tube configurations.
  - 4. The boiler shall be furnished with an adequate number of tappings and inspection openings to facilitate internal boiler inspection and cleaning.

# H. Radiant section construction:

- The radiant section shall be a fully sealed and insulated flue-gas containing section. Entry into this section shall not require major disassembly of the boiler jacket or its components.
- 2. Full access to this section is gained by a single sided fully removable access door which will be affixed to the pressure vessel and installed with 2" mineral fiber monoblock and 1" high temperature ceramic blanket insulation.

- 3. The stationary interior walls shall be installed with 1" mineral fiber monoblcok and 1" ceramic blanket insulation.
- 4. The boiler flueways shall be designed to operate at a negative 0.01" w.c. at the boiler flue outlet. The boiler will require a "B" type metal flue.

#### I. Jacket construction:

- 1. The boiler shall be complete with a metal jacket, heavy gauge, zinc-coated rust resistant steel casing, finished with a suitable heat resisting paint and shall be constructed on a structural steel frame.
- 2. Complete jacket shall be furnished with 1-1/2" of fiberglass insulation and shall be easily removable and reinstalled.
- 3. The boiler shall incorporate individually removable jacket door, with handles providing easy access to combustion chamber and access panels.
- 4. The entire tube area shall be easily accessible for fireside cleaning.

## J. Controls:

- 1. All appropriate controls shall be mounted on boiler jacket front and will include an electrical panel containing a control circuit fuse, indicating light and on/off switch.
- K. Boiler trim and control equipment the following trim and controls shall be furnished:
  - 1. Combination thermometer and pressure gauge.
  - 2. Water temperature control operator.
  - 3. High limit safety control.
  - Low water cutoff.
  - 5. ASME safety relief valve.
  - 6. Barometric damper.

# L. Gas burner and control equipment:

- 1. The gas burner assembly shall be an integral part of the boiler. The burner shall be tubular alloy steel atmospheric type for operation with natural draft, requiring no motor or blower. Gas pilot is to be electrically ignited.
- 2. The following trim and controls shall be furnished:
  - a. Pilot cock.
  - b. Electronic pilot ignition.
  - c. Gas pilot safety shutoff valve.
  - d. Honeywell Flame Safeguard RM7890A.
  - e. Main manual gas shutoff valve.
  - f. Electric gas valves operator and auxiliary safety shutoff gas valve.
  - g. Pilot and maingas pressure regulators.
  - h. Fireye combustion safety control.
  - i. CSD-1 insurance requirements.
  - j. Indicator lights as specified.
- M. Building Management System Interface: Factory install hardware and software to enable building management system to monitor, control, and display boiler status and alarms.

- 1. Monitoring: On/off status, common trouble alarm, low water level alarm.
- 2. Control: On/off operation, hot water supply temperature set-point adjustment.
- A communication interface with building management system shall enable building management system operator to remotely control and monitor the boiler from an operator workstation. Control features available, and monitoring points displayed, locally at boiler control panel shall be available through building management system.

#### 2.2 ELECTRICAL POWER

- A. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Electrical devices and connections by design/build Electrical Contractor.
- B. Single-Point Field Power Connection: Factory-installed and -wired switches, motor controllers, transformers, and other electrical devices necessary shall provide a single-point field power connection to boiler.
  - 1. House in NEMA 250, Type 1 enclosure.
  - 2. Wiring shall be numbered and color-coded to match wiring diagram.
  - 3. Provide branch power circuit to each motor and to controls with disconnect switch or circuit breaker.
  - 4. Provide each motor with overcurrent protection.

## 2.3 CAPACITIES AND CHARACTERISTICS

- A. Heating Medium: Hot water.
- B. Design Pressure and Temperature Rating: 160 psig, 250 deg F.
- C. Entering-Water Temperature: 180 deg F.
- D. Leaving-Water Temperature: 200 deg F.
- E. Design Water Flow Rate: 75 gpm.
- F. Electrical Characteristics: See Schedule.

# 2.4 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Test and inspect factory-assembled boilers, before shipping, according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- B. Burner and Hydrostatic Test: Factory adjust burner to eliminate excess oxygen, carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen emissions, and carbon monoxide in flue gas and to achieve combustion efficiency; perform hydrostatic test.
- C. Allow Owner access to source quality-control testing of boilers. Notify Engineer 14 days in advance of testing.

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Before boiler installation, examine roughing-in for concrete equipment bases, anchorbolt sizes and locations, and piping and electrical connections to verify actual locations, sizes, and other conditions affecting boiler performance, maintenance, and operations.
  - 1. Final boiler locations indicated on Drawings are approximate. Determine exact locations before roughing-in for piping and electrical connections.
- B. Examine mechanical spaces for suitable conditions where boilers will be installed.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 BOILER INSTALLATION

- A. Install boiler level on concrete base.
- B. Vibration Isolation: Elastomeric isolator pads with a minimum static deflection of 0.25 inch. Vibration isolation devices and installation requirements are specified in Division 15 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment."
- C. Install gas-fired boiler according to NFPA 54.
- D. Install electrical devices furnished with boiler but not specified to be factory mounted.
- E. Install control wiring to field-mounted electrical devices.

## 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Division 15 Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Install piping adjacent to boiler to allow service and maintenance.
- C. Connect gas piping to boiler gas-train inlet with union. Piping shall be at least full size of gas train connection. Provide a reducer if required.
- D. Connect hot-water piping to supply- and return-boiler tappings with shutoff valve and flange at each connection.
- E. Install piping from safety relief valves to nearest floor drain.
- F. Install piping from equipment drain connection to nearest floor drain. Piping shall be at least full size of connection. Provide an isolation valve if required.
- G. Boiler Flue Venting:

- 1. Connect full size to boiler connections.
- H. Ground equipment.
- I. Connect wiring .

## 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections and prepare test reports.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.
- B. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Perform installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. Leak Test: Hydrostatic test. Repair leaks and retest until no leaks exist.
  - 3. Operational Test: Start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation. Adjust air-fuel ratio and combustion.
  - 4. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
    - a. Burner Test: Adjust burner to eliminate excess oxygen, carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen emissions, and carbon monoxide in flue gas and to achieve combustion efficiency.
    - b. Check and adjust initial operating set points and high- and low-limit safety set points of fuel supply, water level, and water temperature.
    - c. Set field-adjustable switches and circuit-breaker trip ranges.
- C. Remove and replace malfunctioning units and retest as specified above.

# 3.5 DEMONSTRATION

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain boiler.

**END OF SECTION 15515** 

# <u>SECTION 15732 - PACKAGED, OUTDOOR, COOLING ONLY CENTRAL-STATION AIR-HANDLING UNITS</u>

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes packaged, outdoor, cooling only central-station air-handling units (rooftop units) with the following components and accessories:
  - 1. Direct-expansion cooling.
  - 2. Economizer outdoor- and return-air damper section.
  - 3. Roof curbs adaptation of existing curbs.

## 1.3 **DEFINITIONS**

- A. DDC: Direct-digital controls.
- B. ECM: Electrically commutated motor.
- C. RTU: Rooftop unit. As used in this Section, this abbreviation means packaged, outdoor, central-station air-handling units.
- D. Supply-Air Fan: The fan providing supply air to conditioned space. "Supply air" is defined as the air entering a space from air-conditioning, heating, or ventilating apparatus.

# 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Delegated Design: Design RTU supports to comply with wind and seismic performance requirements.
- B. Seismic Performance: RTUs shall withstand the effects of earthquake motions determined according to SEI/ASCE 7.
  - 1. The term "withstand" means "the unit will remain in place without separation of any parts from the device when subjected to the seismic forces specified."

# 1.5 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: Include manufacturer's technical data for each RTU, including rated capacities, dimensions, required clearances, characteristics, furnished specialties, and accessories.

## B. LEED Submittals:

- 1. Product Data for Credit EA 4: For refrigerants, including printed statement that refrigerants are free of HCFCs.
- C. Shop Drawings: Detail equipment assemblies and indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
  - 1. Wiring Diagrams: Power, signal, and control wiring.
- D. Operation and Maintenance Data: For RTUs to include in operation and maintenance manuals.
- E. Warranty: Special warranty specified in this Section.

# 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. ARI Compliance:
  - 1. Unit shall be rated in accordance with ARI Standard 340/360.
  - 2. Unit shall be designed to conform to ANSI/ASHRAE 15 (latest edition), ASHRAE 62, UL Standard 1995 and National Electrical Code.
  - 3. Unit shall be listed by ETL as a total package.
  - 4. Roof curb shall be designed to NRCA criteria per Bulletin B-1986.
  - 5. Insulation and adhesive shall meet NFPA 90A requirements for flame spread and smoke generation.
  - 6. Unit shall be manufactured in a facility registed to the ISO 9001:2000 manufacturing quality standard.

# 1.7 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to replace components of RTUs that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Warranty Period for Compressors: Manufacturer's standard, but not less than five years from date of Substantial Completion.
  - 2. Warranty Period for Control Boards: Manufacturer's standard, but not less than three years from date of Substantial Completion.

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Carrier Corporation.
  - 2. Trane; American Standard Companies, Inc.
  - 3. AAON, Inc.

## 2.2 EQUIPMENT

# A. General:

1. Factory-assembled, single-piece cooling only unit. Contained within the unit enclosure shall be all factory wiring, piping, refrigerant charge (R-22), operating oil charge, dual refrigerant circuits, microprocessor based control system and associated hardware, and all special features required prior to field start-up.

#### B. Unit Cabinet:

- Constructed of galvanized steel, bonderized and precoated with a baked enamel finish
  - a. Top cover shall be 18-gage sheet metal with 0.75-in. thick, 1.5-lb density, fiberglass insulation.
  - b. Access panels and doors shall be 20-gage sheet metal with 0.5-in. thick, 1.5-lb density, fiberglass insulation.
  - c. Corner and center posts shall be 16-gage galvanized steel.
  - d. Basepans in the return air sections shall be 16-gage galvanized steel.
  - e. Basepans in the condenser section shall be 12-gage galvanized steel.
  - f. Compressor rail shall be 12-gage galvanized steel.
  - g. Condensate pan shall be 16-gage aluminized steel.
  - h. Air baffles shall be 18-gage galvanized steel with 0.5-in. thick, 1.5-lb density, fiberglass insulation.
  - i. Base rail shall be 14-gage galvanized steel.
  - j. Fan deck (indoor and outdoor section) shall be 16-gage galvanized steel.
- 2. Unit casing shall be capable of withstanding 500-hour salt spray exposure per ASTM B117 (scribed specimen).
- 3. Sides shall have person-sized insulated hinged access doors for easy access to the control box and other areas requiring servicing. Each door shall seal against a rubber gasket to prevent air and water leakage and be equipped to permit ease and safety during servicing.
- 4. Interior cabinet surfaces shall be sheet metal lined or insulated with flexible fireretardant material, coated on the air side.
- 5. Unit shall have a factory-installed sloped condensate drain connection made from an aluminized steel or optional stainless steel

- 6. Equipped with lifting lugs to facilitate overhead rigging.
- 7. Filters shall be accessible through a hinged access panel without requiring any special tools.

## C. Fans:

# 1. Indoor Evaporator Fans:

- a. Double-width/double-inlet, centrifugal, belt driven, forward-curved type with single outlet discharge.
- b. Fan shaft bearings shall be of the pillowblock type with positive locking collar and lubrication provisions.
- c. Statically and dynamically balanced.
- d. Evaporator fan shaft bearings shall have a life of 200,000 hours at design operating conditions in accordance with ANSI B3.15.
- e. Solid fan shaft construction.

# 2. Condenser Fans:

- a. Direct-driven propeller type only, with corrosion-resistant blades riveted to corrosion resistant steel supports.
- b. Discharge air vertically upward and protected by PVC coated steel wire safety guards.
- c. Statically and dynamically balanced.

# 3. Supply Fan Drive:

- a. Units shall be equipped with Variable Frequency Drive (VFD, inverter). The VFD shall be provided with a metal enclosure and shall be factory-mounted, wired and tested. The VFD shall control motor speed to maintain set point static pressure at the sensor tube location of the supply duct pressure transducer (transducer shall be factory-provided and installed; sensor tube shall be field-routed). The VFD may be field-adjusted to maintain supply duct static pressure set points from 0 in. wg to 3.5 in. wg. The variable speed drive shall include the following features:
  - Full digital control with direct control from the unit ComfortLink™ controls.
  - 2) Insulated Gate Bi-Polar Transistors (IGBT) used to produce the output pulse width modulated (PWM) waveform, allowing for quiet motor operation.
  - 3) Inverters capable of operation at a frequency of 8 kHz, so no acoustic noise shall be produced by the motor.
  - 4) NEMA 1 enclosure.
  - 5) Self diagnostics.
  - 6) Personal lockout code for additional security.
  - 7) Critical frequency avoidance.
  - 8) RS232C/RS485 capability (accessory card source required).
  - 9) Electronic thermal overload protection.
  - 10) DC link feature for harmonic reduction and improved power factor.

# D. Compressors:

- 1. Fully hermetic, scroll type compressors with overload protection and short cycle protection with minimum on and off timers.
- 2. Factory rubber-in-shear mounted and internally spring mounted for vibration isolation.
- 3. Reverse rotation protection capability.
- 4. Crankcase heaters shall only be activated during compressor off mode.

#### E. Coils:

- 1. Standard evaporator and condenser coils shall have copper fins mechanically bonded to seamless internally grooved copper tubes with all joints brazed.
- 2. Coils shall be leak tested at 150 psig and pressure tested at 450 psig.
- 3. Copper-fin coils shall be constructed of copper fins mechanically bonded to copper tubes and copper tube sheets. Galvanized steel tube sheets shall not be acceptable. A polymer strip shall prevent coil assembly from contacting the sheet metal coil pan to minimize potential for galvanic corrosion between coil and pan. All copper construction shall provide protection in moderate coastal environments.

# F. Refrigerant Components:

- 1. Unit shall be equipped with dual refrigerant circuits each containing:
  - a. Solid core filter drier.
  - b. Thermostatic expansion valve.
  - c. Fusible plug.

# G. Filter Section:

1. Standard filter section shall consist of 30% pleated filters of commercially available sizes.

#### H. Controls and Safeties:

## 1. Controls:

- a. Unit control with standard suction pressure transducers and condensing temperature thermistors.
- b. Shall provide and display a current alarm list and an alarm history list.
- c. Automatic compressor redundancy.
- d. Service run test capability.
- e. Configurable alarm light shall be provided which activates when certain types of alarms occur.
- f. Compressor minimum run time (3 minutes) and minimum off time (3 minutes) shall be provided.
- g. Service diagnostic mode.
- h. Optional integrated economizer control or two-position self-closing adjustable outside-air damper.

- i. Minimum of 4 capacity stages of mechanical capacity control (excluding hot gas bypass) controlled with logic to maintain supply air temperature setpoint.
- j. Optional minimum load valve for additional capacity stage.
- k. Unit shall be complete with self-contained low voltage control circuit.

#### Safeties:

- a. Unit shall incorporate a solid-state compressor lockout which provides optional reset capability at the space thermostat should any of the following safety devices trip and shut off compressor:
  - Compressor lockout protection provided for either internal or external overload.
  - 2) Low-pressure protection.
  - 3) Freeze protection (evaporator coil).
  - 4) High-pressure protection (high pressure switch or internal).
  - 5) Compressor reverse rotation protection.
  - 6) Loss of charge protection.
- b. Supply-air sensor shall be located in the unit and should be used for economizer control and compressor stage control.

# I. Operating Characteristics:

- 1. Unit shall be capable of starting and running at 115 F ambient outdoor temperature per maximum load criteria of ARI Standard 340/360.
- 2. Unit will operate in cooling down to an outdoor ambient temperature of 32 F.
- 3. Unit shall be provided with fan time delay to prevent cold air delivery.

# J. Electrical Requirements:

1. All unit power wiring shall enter unit cabinet at a single location.

# K. Motors:

- Compressor motors shall be cooled by refrigerant gas passing through motor windings and shall have either internal line break thermal and current overload protection or external current overload modules with compressor temperature sensors.
- 2. All condenser-fan motors shall be totally enclosed 3-phase type with permanently lubricated ball bearings, class F insulation and internal, automatic-reset thermal overload protection or manual reset calibrated circuit breakers.
- 3. All indoor-fan motors 5 hp and larger shall meet the minimum efficiency requirements as established by the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (EPACT), effective October 24, 1997.

# L. Special Features:

1. Full Perimeter Adapter Roof Curbs If Required:

a. Formed of 14-gage galvanized steel with wood nailer strip and shall be capable of supporting entire unit weight.

# 2. Integrated Economizer:

- a. Economizer shall be furnished and installed complete with recirculated air dampers, outside air dampers, and controls.
- b. Low-leakage dampers ride in UL-approved gears.
- c. Capable of introducing up to 100% outdoor air for minimum ventilation as well as free cooling.
- d. Damper actuator shall be gear driven, 24-v fully modulating design.
- e. Economizer outdoor hood shall be pre-painted.
- f. Economizer shall meet the requirements of the California Energy Commission airside economizer acceptance test.

#### Power Exhaust:

a. Package shall include a multiple exhaust fan (centrifugal style) fan, 1 Hp 208-230, 460 v direct-drive motor, and damper for vertical flow units with economizer to control overpressurization of building. Control shall be through *Comfort*Link™ controls based on optional building pressure sensor. 4 stages of control shall be available.

## 4. Convenience Outlet:

a. Shall be factory-installed and internally mounted with an externally accessible 115-v, 15 amp GFI, female receptacle with hinged cover. A step-down transformer and overload protection shall be included so no additional wiring is necessary unless the field wired outlet has been requested. When applied with a unit-mounted disconnect the outlet shall be wired to the load side of the disconnect, and shall include a means to shut off the outlet.

# 5. Non-Fused Disconnect Switch:

a. Shall be factory-installed, internally mounted, and UL approved. Non-fused switch shall provide unit power shutoff. Shall be accessible from outside the unit and shall provide power off lockout capability.

# 6. Hail Guard, Condenser Coil Grille:

a. Shall protect the condenser coil from hail, flying debris, and damage by large objects without increasing unit clearances.

# 7. Return Air Smoke Detector:

a. The smoke detector shall send input to the controller to shut down the unit in case smoke is detected. The smoke detector shall be factory installed in the return air section or shall be available as a field-installed accessory.

## 8. Filter Status:

a. The filter status switch shall be a pressure differential switch and will indicate a dirty filter. The switch shall be factory installed.

# 9. Return Air Dry Bulb Sensor:

 A return air dry bulb sensor can be used to provide differential dry bulb changeover for the economizer.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 **EXAMINATION**

- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of RTUs.
- B. Examine roughing-in for RTUs to verify actual locations of duct connections before equipment installation.
- C. Examine roofs for suitable conditions where RTUs will be installed.
- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Roof Curb: Install on existing roof curbs or provide adapter curbs. Coordinate roof penetrations with existing openings. Secure RTUs to upper curb rail with anchor bolts.
- B. Install wind and seismic restraints according to manufacturer's written instructions. Wind and seismically restrained vibration isolation roof-curb rails are specified in Division 15 Section "Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment."

## 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Install condensate drain, minimum connection size, with trap and indirect connection to nearest roof drain.
- B. Duct installation requirements are specified in other Division 15 Sections. Drawings indicate the general arrangement of ducts. The following are specific connection requirements:
  - 1. Install ducts to termination at top of roof curb.
  - 2. Connect supply ducts to RTUs with flexible duct connectors specified in Division 15 Section "Duct Accessories."

# 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect, test, and adjust components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections. Report results in writing.
- B. Perform tests and inspections and prepare test reports.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing. Report results in writing.

# C. Tests and Inspections:

- 1. After installing RTUs and after electrical circuitry has been energized, test units for compliance with requirements.
- 2. Inspect for and remove shipping bolts, blocks, and tie-down straps.
- 3. Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation.
- 4. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- D. Remove and replace malfunctioning units and retest as specified above.

## 3.5 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform startup service.
- B. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions and do the following:
  - 1. Inspect for visible damage to unit casing.
  - 2. Inspect for visible damage to compressor, coils, and fans.
  - 3. Inspect internal insulation.
  - 4. Verify that labels are clearly visible.
  - 5. Verify that clearances have been provided for servicing.
  - 6. Verify that controls are connected and operable.
  - 7. Verify that filters are installed and clean.
  - 8. Clean condenser coil and inspect for construction debris.
  - 9. Remove packing from vibration isolators.
  - 10. Inspect operation of barometric relief dampers.
  - 11. Verify lubrication on fan and motor bearings.
  - 12. Inspect fan-wheel rotation for movement in correct direction without vibration and binding.
  - 13. Adjust fan belts to proper alignment and tension.
  - 14. Start unit according to manufacturer's written instructions.
    - a. Start refrigeration system.
    - b. Do not operate below recommended low-ambient temperature.
    - c. Complete startup sheets and attach copy with Contractor's startup report.

- 15. Inspect and record performance of interlocks and protective devices; verify sequences.
- 16. Operate unit for an initial period as recommended or required by manufacturer.
- 17. Inspect outdoor-air dampers for proper stroke and interlock with return-air dampers.
- 18. Start refrigeration system and measure and record the following when ambient is a minimum of 15 deg F above return-air temperature:
  - a. Coil leaving-air, dry- and wet-bulb temperatures.
  - b. Coil entering-air, dry- and wet-bulb temperatures.
  - c. Outdoor-air, dry-bulb temperature.
  - d. Outdoor-air-coil, discharge-air, dry-bulb temperature.
- 19. Inspect controls for correct sequencing of mixing dampers, refrigeration, and normal and emergency shutdown.
- 20. Measure and record the following minimum and maximum airflows. Plot fan volumes on fan curve.
  - a. Supply-air volume.
  - b. Return-air volume.
  - c. Relief-air volume.
  - d. Outdoor-air intake volume.
- 21. Simulate maximum cooling demand and inspect the following:
  - a. Compressor refrigerant suction and hot-gas pressures.
  - b. Short circuiting of air through condenser coil or from condenser fans to outdoor-air intake.
- 22. After startup and performance testing and prior to Substantial Completion, replace existing filters with new filters.

# 3.6 CLEANING

A. After completing system installation and testing, adjusting, and balancing RTU and airdistribution systems, clean filter housings and install new filters.

## 3.7 DEMONSTRATION

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain RTUs. Refer to Division 1 Section "Demonstration and Training."

**END OF SECTION 15732** 

# **SECTION 15815 - METAL DUCTS**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

# 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes modification and additions (if required) to existing ductwork for connection to new rooftop air handling unit:
  - 1. Single-wall round and flat-oval ducts and fittings.
  - 2. Double-wall round and flat-oval ducts and fittings.
  - 3. Sheet metal materials.
  - 4. Sealants and gaskets.
  - 5. Hangers and supports.
  - 6. Seismic-restraint devices.

## B. Related Sections:

- 1. Division 15 Section "Nonmetal Ducts" for fibrous-glass ducts, thermoset fiber-reinforced plastic ducts, thermoplastic ducts, PVC ducts, and concrete ducts.
- 2. Division 15 Section "Duct Accessories" for dampers, sound-control devices, duct-mounting access doors and panels, turning vanes, and flexible ducts.
- 3. Division 15 Section "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing" for testing, adjusting, and balancing requirements for metal ducts.

# 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Delegated Duct Design: Duct construction, including sheet metal thicknesses, seam and joint construction, reinforcements, and hangers and supports, shall comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" and performance requirements and design criteria indicated.
  - 1. Static-Pressure Classes:
    - Supply Duct at rooftop discharge: 2-3 inch wg.
  - 2. Leakage Class:
    - a. Round Supply-Air Duct: 3 cfm/100 sq. ft. at 1-inch wg.
    - b. Flat-Oval Supply-Air Duct: 3cfm/100 sq. ft. at 1-inch wg.

B. Structural Performance: Duct hangers and supports and seismic restraints shall withstand the effects of gravity and seismic loads and stresses within limits and under conditions described in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" and SEI/ASCE 7.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following products:
  - 1. Sealants and gaskets.
  - 2. Seismic-restraint devices.

#### **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 SINGLE-WALL ROUND AND FLAT-OVAL DUCTS AND FITTINGS

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal," Chapter 3, "Round and Oval Duct," based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. McGill AirFlow LLC.
    - b. Lindab Inc.
    - c. SEMCO Incorporated.
    - d. Sheet Metal Connectors, Inc.
    - e. Spiral Manufacturing Co., Inc.
- B. Flat-Oval Ducts: Indicated dimensions are the duct width (major dimension) and diameter (diameter of the round sides connecting the flat portions of the duct).
- C. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-2, "Transverse Joints Round Duct," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible."
- D. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-1, "Seams Round Duct and Fittings," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal."

## 2.2 DOUBLE-WALL ROUND AND FLAT-OVAL DUCTS AND FITTINGS

A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

- 1. McGill AirFlow LLC.
- 2. Lindab Inc.
- 3. SEMCO Incorporated.
- 4. Sheet Metal Connectors, Inc.
- B. Flat-Oval Ducts: Indicated dimensions are the duct width (major dimension) and diameter (diameter of the round sides connecting the flat portions of the duct) of the inner duct.
- C. Outer Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal," Chapter 3, "Round and Oval," based on static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
  - Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-2, "Transverse Joints - Round Duct," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- D. Inner Duct: Minimum 0.028-inch perforated galvanized sheet steel having 3/32-inch-diameter perforations, with overall open area of 23 percent.
- E. Interstitial Insulation: Fibrous-glass liner complying with ASTM C 1071, NFPA 90A, or NFPA 90B; and with NAIMA AH124, "Fibrous Glass Duct Liner Standard."
  - 1. Maximum Thermal Conductivity: 0.27 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
  - 2. Install spacers that position the inner duct at uniform distance from outer duct without compressing insulation.
  - 3. Coat insulation with antimicrobial coating.
  - 4. Cover insulation with polyester film complying with UL 181, Class 1.
- F. Interstitial Insulation: Flexible elastomeric duct liner complying with ASTM C 534, Type II for sheet materials, and with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.
  - 1. Maximum Thermal Conductivity: 0.25 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.

## 2.3 SHEET METAL MATERIALS

- A. General Material Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.
- B. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653/A 653M.
  - 1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G60.
  - 2. Finishes for Surfaces Exposed to View: Mill phosphatized.

# C. Factory-Applied Antimicrobial Coating:

- 1. Apply to the surface of sheet metal that will form the interior surface of the duct. An untreated clear coating shall be applied to the exterior surface.
- 2. Antimicrobial compound shall be tested for efficacy by an NRTL and registered by the EPA for use in HVAC systems.
- 3. Coating containing the antimicrobial compound shall have a hardness of 2H, minimum, when tested according to ASTM D 3363.
- Surface-Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame-spread index of 25 and maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
- 5. Antimicrobial coating on sheet metal is not required for duct containing liner treated with antimicrobial coating.

# 2.4 SEALANT AND GASKETS

# A. Round Duct Joint O-Ring Seals:

- 1. Seal shall provide maximum leakage class of 3 cfm/100 sq. ft. at 1-inch wg and shall be rated for 10-inch wg static-pressure class, positive or negative.
- 2. EPDM O-ring to seal in concave bead in coupling or fitting spigot.
- 3. Double-lipped, EPDM O-ring seal, mechanically fastened to factory-fabricated couplings and fitting spigots.

# 2.5 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Hanger Rods for Noncorrosive Environments: Cadmium-plated steel rods and nuts.
- B. Hanger Rods for Corrosive Environments: Electrogalvanized, all-thread rods or galvanized rods with threads painted with zinc-chromate primer after installation.
- C. Strap and Rod Sizes: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Table 4-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 4-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct."
- D. Steel Cables for Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized steel complying with ASTM A 603.
- E. Steel Cable End Connections: Cadmium-plated steel assemblies with brackets, swivel, and bolts designed for duct hanger service; with an automatic-locking and clamping device.
- F. Duct Attachments: Sheet metal screws, blind rivets, or self-tapping metal screws; compatible with duct materials.
- G. Trapeze and Riser Supports:
  - 1. Supports for Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized-steel shapes and plates.

# 2.6 SEISMIC-RESTRAINT DEVICES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Cooper B-Line, Inc.; a division of Cooper Industries.
  - 2. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  - 3. Hilti Corp.
  - 4. Kinetics Noise Control.
  - 5. Loos & Co.; Cableware Division.
  - 6. Mason Industries.
  - 7. TOLCO: a brand of NIBCO INC.
  - 8. Unistrut Corporation; Tyco International, Ltd.
- B. Channel Support System: Shop- or field-fabricated support assembly made of slotted steel channels rated in tension, compression, and torsion forces and with accessories for attachment to braced component at one end and to building structure at the other end. Include matching components and corrosion-resistant coating.
- C. Restraint Cables: ASTM A 603, galvanized-steel cables with end connections made of cadmium-plated steel assemblies with brackets, swivel, and bolts designed for restraining cable service; and with an automatic-locking and clamping device or double-cable clips.

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 DUCT INSTALLATION

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of new duct connection to new rooftop air handling units. Install duct systems as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Shop Drawings and Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install ducts according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible" unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Install round and flat-oval ducts in area of connection. Match existing.
- D. Install factory- or shop-fabricated fittings for changes in direction, size, and shape and for unit or roof curb connections.
- E. Unless otherwise indicated, install ducts vertically and horizontally, and parallel and perpendicular to building lines.
- F. Install ducts with a clearance of 1 inch, plus allowance for insulation thickness.
- G. Protect duct interiors from moisture, construction debris and dust, and other foreign materials. Comply with SMACNA's "Duct Cleanliness for New Construction Guidelines."

# 3.2 SEAM AND JOINT SEALING

A. Seal duct seams and joints for duct static-pressure and leakage classes specified in "Performance Requirements" Article, according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 1-2, "Standard Duct Sealing Requirements," unless otherwise indicated.

## 3.3 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Chapter 4, "Hangers and Supports."
- B. Building Attachments: Structural-steel fasteners appropriate for construction materials to which hangers are being attached.
- C. Hanger Spacing: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards Metal and Flexible," Table 4-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 4-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct," for maximum hanger spacing; install hangers and supports within 24 inches of each elbow.
- D. Support vertical ducts with steel angles or channel secured to the sides of the duct with welds, bolts, sheet metal screws, or blind rivets.
- E. Install upper attachments to structures. Select and size upper attachments with pullout, tension, and shear capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.

# 3.4 SEISMIC-RESTRAINT-DEVICE INSTALLATION

- A. Install ducts with hangers and braces designed to support the duct and to restrain against seismic forces required by applicable building codes. Comply with SMACNA's "Seismic Restraint Manual: Guidelines for Mechanical Systems."
- B. Select seismic-restraint devices with capacities adequate to carry present and future static and seismic loads.
- C. Install cables so they do not bend across edges of adjacent equipment or building structure.
- D. Install cable restraints on ducts that are suspended with vibration isolators.
- E. Attachment to Structure: If specific attachment is not indicated, anchor bracing and restraints to structure, to flanges of beams, and to upper truss chords of bar joists.

# 3.5 CONNECTIONS

A. Make connections to equipment with flexible connectors complying with Division 15 Section "Duct Accessories."

# 3.6 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
- B. Leakage Tests:
  - Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Air Duct Leakage Test Manual."
  - 2. Test the following systems:
    - a. Supply air.
  - 3. Disassemble, reassemble, and seal segments of systems to accommodate leakage testing and for compliance with test requirements.
  - 4. Test for leaks before insulation application.
  - Conduct tests at static pressures equal to maximum design pressure of system or section being tested. If static-pressure classes are not indicated, test entire system at maximum system design pressure. Do not pressurize systems above maximum design operating pressure. Give seven days' advance notice for testing.

# 3.7 DUCT CLEANING

A. Clean new duct before testing, adjusting, and balancing.

# 3.8 DUCT SCHEDULE

- A. Fabricate ducts with galvanized sheet steel.
- B. Double-Wall Duct Interstitial Insulation:
  - 1. Supply-Air Ducts, 18 Inches and Larger in Diameter or Rectangular Equivalent: 1 inch thick.

**END OF SECTION 15815** 

# **SECTION 15820 - DUCT ACCESSORIES**

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Flexible connectors for connection of existing ductwork to new rooftop units.
  - 2. Duct accessory hardware.

# 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Flexible connectors.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Comply with NFPA 90A, "Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems," and NFPA 90B, "Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems."

# **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. In other Part 2 articles where titles below introduce lists, the following requirements apply to product selection:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the manufacturers specified.

# 2.2 SHEET METAL MATERIALS

A. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards--Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods, unless otherwise indicated.

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- B. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Lock-forming quality; complying with ASTM A 653/A 653M and having G60 coating designation; ducts shall have mill-phosphatized finish for surfaces exposed to view.
- C. Reinforcement Shapes and Plates: Galvanized-steel reinforcement where installed on galvanized sheet metal ducts.
- D. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

## 2.3 FLEXIBLE CONNECTORS

#### A. Manufacturers:

- 1. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
- 2. Duro Dyne Corp.
- 3. Ventfabrics, Inc.
- 4. Ward Industries, Inc.
- 5. Prior approved equal.
- B. General Description: Flame-retardant or noncombustible fabrics, coatings, and adhesives complying with UL 181, Class 1.
- C. Metal-Edged Connectors: Factory fabricated with a fabric strip 3-1/2 inches wide attached to two strips of 2-3/4-inch- wide, 0.028-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.032-inch- thick aluminum sheets. Select metal compatible with ducts.
- D. Indoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with neoprene.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 26 oz./sq. yd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 480 lbf/inch in the warp and 360 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.

# 2.4 DUCT ACCESSORY HARDWARE

- A. Instrument Test Holes: Cast iron or cast aluminum to suit duct material, including screw cap and gasket. Size to allow insertion of pitot tube and other testing instruments and of length to suit duct insulation thickness.
- B. Adhesives: High strength, quick setting, neoprene based, waterproof, and resistant to gasoline and grease.

#### **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

## 3.1 APPLICATION AND INSTALLATION

A. Install duct accessories according to applicable details in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards--Metal and Flexible" for metal ducts.

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- B. Provide duct accessories of materials suited to duct materials; use galvanized-steel accessories in galvanized-steel.
- C. Provide test holes at fan inlets and outlets and elsewhere as indicated.
- D. Install flexible connectors immediately adjacent to equipment in ducts.
- E. Install duct test holes where indicated and required for testing and balancing purposes.

# 3.2 ADJUSTING

A. Adjust duct accessories for proper settings.

**END OF SECTION 15820** 

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# SECTION 15900 - HVAC INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS

## **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the extension of existing control equipment and system for the new rooftop air handling units, boiler and pumps.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 15 Section "Meters and Gages" for measuring equipment that relates to this Section.
- C. There is a building automation system located in this facility. This section shall furnish all required parts, equipment, wiring, etc. for the control of new boiler, pumps, AHU-1 and AHU-2.

# 1.3 SEQUENCE OF OPERATION

A. Same as existing.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Include manufacturer's technical literature for each new control device. Indicate dimensions, capacities, performance characteristics, electrical characteristics, finishes for materials, and installation and startup instructions for each type of product indicated.
  - 1. Controlled Systems: Instrumentation list with element name, type of device, manufacturer, model number, and product data. Include written description of sequence of operation including schematic diagram.
- B. Qualification Data: For the system installer including their State of Utah electrical license and control system manufacturer certification documentation.
- C. Operation and Maintenance Data: For HVAC instrumentation and control system to include in operation and maintenance manuals. In addition to items specified in Division 1 Section "Operation and Maintenance Data," include the following:
  - 1. Maintenance instructions and lists of spare parts for each type of control device.

- 2. Interconnection wiring diagrams with identified and numbered system components and devices.
- 3. Calibration records and list of set points.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Automatic control system manufacturer's authorized representative who is trained and approved for installation of system components required for this Project. The installer shall be a licensed electrical contractor in the State of Utah.
- B. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, Article 100, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and marked for intended use.

#### 1.6 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate existing DDC System with the requirements of controls for the modified system.

## **PART 2 - PRODUCTS**

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. In other Part 2 articles where titles below introduce lists, the following requirements apply to product selection:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the manufacturers specified.

## 2.2 CONTROL SYSTEM

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. TAC/INET provided by Utah Controls Inc. 801-990-1950
- B. Control system shall consist of what is required for the controls of the boiler, pumps, and rooftop air handling units. Interface equipment, other apparatus, and accessories to control mechanical systems.

#### 2.3 ACTUATORS

A. Electric Motors: Size to operate with sufficient reserve power to provide smooth modulating action or two-position action.

- 1. Permanent Split-Capacitor or Shaded-Pole Type: Gear trains completely oil immersed and sealed.
- 2. Nonspring-Return Motors for Valves Larger Than NPS 2-1/2: Size for running torque of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque of 300 in. x lbf.
- 3. Nonspring-Return Motors for Dampers Larger Than 25 Sq. Ft.: Size for running torque of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque of 300 in. x lbf.
- B. Electronic Actuators: Direct-coupled type designed for minimum 60,000 full-stroke cycles at rated torque.
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Belimo Aircontrols (USA), Inc.
    - b. TAC
  - 2. Valves: Size for torque required for valve close off at maximum pump differential pressure.
  - 3. Dampers: Size for running torque calculated as follows:
    - a. Parallel-Blade Damper with Edge Seals: 7 inch-lb/sq. ft. of damper.
    - b. Opposed-Blade Damper with Edge Seals: 5 inch-lb/sq. ft. of damper.
  - 4. Coupling: V-bolt and V-shaped, toothed cradle.
  - 5. Overload Protection: Electronic overload or digital rotation-sensing circuitry.
  - 6. Fail-Safe Operation: Mechanical, spring-return mechanism. Provide external, manual gear release on nonspring-return actuators.
  - 7. Temperature Rating: Minus 22 to plus 122 deg F.

## 2.4 CONTROL VALVES

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. Honeywell.
  - 2. TAC
  - 3. Johnson Controls.
- B. Control Valves: Factory fabricated, of type, body material, and pressure class based on maximum pressure and temperature rating of piping system, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Hydronic system globe valves shall have the following characteristics:
  - NPS 2 and Smaller: Class 250 bronze body, bronze trim, rising stem, renewable composition disc, and screwed ends with backseating capacity repackable under pressure.
  - 2. NPS 2-1/2 and Larger: Class 125 iron body, bronze trim, rising stem, plug-type disc, flanged ends, and renewable seat and disc.
  - 3. Internal Construction: Replaceable plugs and stainless-steel seats.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Verify that power supply is available to control system.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install labels and nameplates to identify control components according to Division 15 Section "Mechanical Identification."
- B. Install hydronic instrument wells, valves, and other accessories according to Division 15 Section "Hydronic Piping."

#### 3.3 ELECTRICAL WIRING AND CONNECTION INSTALLATION

- A. Install raceways, boxes, and cabinets according to NEC.
- B. Install building wire and cable according to NEC.

#### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect, test, and adjust field-assembled components and equipment installation, including connections. Report results in writing.
- B. Perform the following field tests and inspections and prepare test reports:
  - Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper unit operation. Remove and replace malfunctioning units and retest.
  - 2. Test and adjust controls and safeties.
  - 3. Test calibration of electronic controllers by disconnecting input sensors and stimulating operation with compatible signal generator.
  - 4. Test each point through its full operating range to verify that safety and operating control set points are as required.
  - 5. Test each system for compliance with sequence of operation.
- C. Replace damaged or malfunctioning controls and equipment and repeat testing procedures.

#### 3.5 ADJUSTING

- A. Calibrating and Adjusting:
  - 1. Calibrate instruments.

- 2. Calibrate equipment and procedures using manufacturer's written recommendations and instruction manuals. Use test equipment with accuracy at least double that of instrument being calibrated.
- 3. Flow:
  - a. Manually operate flow switches to verify that they make or break contact.

# 4. Pressure:

a. Calibrate pressure switches to make or break contacts, with adjustable differential set at minimum.

## 3.6 DEMONSTRATION

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain HVAC instrumentation and controls. Refer to Division 1 Section "Demonstration and Training."

**END OF SECTION 15900** 

# SECTION 15950 - TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING

# **PART 1 - GENERAL**

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes TAB to produce design objectives for the following:
  - 1. Air Systems:
    - a. New constant-volume rooftop air handling units.
  - 2. Hydronic Piping Systems:
    - a. New Constant-flow pumps in boiler room.
  - 3. HVAC equipment quantitative-performance settings.
  - 4. Verifying that automatic control devices are functioning properly.
  - 5. Reporting results of activities and procedures specified in this Section.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Adjust: To regulate fluid flow rate and air patterns at the terminal equipment, such as to reduce fan speed or adjust a damper.
- B. Balance: To proportion flows within the distribution system, including submains, branches, and terminals, according to indicated quantities.
- C. Barrier or Boundary: Construction, either vertical or horizontal, such as walls, floors, and ceilings that are designed and constructed to restrict the movement of airflow, smoke, odors, and other pollutants.
- D. Procedure: An approach to and execution of a sequence of work operations to yield repeatable results.
- E. Report Forms: Test data sheets for recording test data in logical order.
- F. Static Head: The pressure due to the weight of the fluid above the point of measurement. In a closed system, static head is equal on both sides of the pump.
- G. Suction Head: The height of fluid surface above the centerline of the pump on the suction side.

- H. System Effect: A phenomenon that can create undesired or unpredicted conditions that cause reduced capacities in all or part of a system.
- I. TAB: Testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- J. Terminal: A point where the controlled medium, such as fluid or energy, enters or leaves the distribution system.
- K. Test: A procedure to determine quantitative performance of systems or equipment.
- L. Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing (TAB) Firm: The entity responsible for performing and reporting TAB procedures.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: Within 15 days from Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit 4 copies of evidence that TAB firm and this Project's TAB team members meet the qualifications specified in "Quality Assurance" Article.
- B. Sample Report Forms: Submit two sets of sample TAB report forms.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. TAB Firm Qualifications: TAB firm shall be certified by AABC or NEBB.
- B. TAB Report Forms: Use standard forms from AABC's "National Standards for Testing and Balancing Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning Systems" or NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems."
- C. Instrumentation Type, Quantity, and Accuracy: As described in AABC's "National Standards for Testing and Balancing Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning Systems" or "NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems," Section II, "Required Instrumentation for NEBB Certification."
- D. Instrumentation Calibration: Calibrate instruments at least every six months or more frequently if required by instrument manufacturer.
  - 1. Keep an updated record of instrument calibration that indicates date of calibration and the name of party performing instrument calibration.

#### 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Full Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy the site and existing building during entire TAB period. Cooperate with Owner during TAB operations to minimize conflicts with Owner's operations.

## 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate the efforts of HVAC controls installers, and other mechanics to operate HVAC systems and equipment to support and assist TAB activities.
- B. Perform TAB after leakage and pressure tests on air and water distribution systems have been satisfactorily completed.

#### 1.8 WARRANTY

- A. National Project Performance Guarantee: Provide a guarantee on AABC's "National Standards for Testing and Balancing Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning Systems" forms stating that AABC will assist in completing requirements of the Contract Documents if TAB firm fails to comply with the Contract Documents. Guarantee includes the following provisions:
  - 1. The certified TAB firm has tested and balanced systems according to the Contract Documents.
  - 2. Systems are balanced to optimum performance capabilities within design and installation limits.
- B. Special Guarantee: Provide a guarantee on NEBB forms stating that NEBB will assist in completing requirements of the Contract Documents if TAB firm fails to comply with the Contract Documents. Guarantee shall include the following provisions:
  - 1. The certified TAB firm has tested and balanced systems according to the Contract Documents.
  - 2. Systems are balanced to optimum performance capabilities within design and installation limits.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

# **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

# 3.1 **EXAMINATION**

- A. Examine the Contract Documents to become familiar with Project requirements and to discover conditions in systems' designs that may preclude proper TAB of systems and equipment.
  - 1. Contract Documents are defined in the General and Supplementary Conditions of Contract.
  - Verify that balancing devices, such as test ports, gage cocks, thermometer wells, flow-control devices, balancing valves and fittings, and manual volume dampers, are required by the Contract Documents. Verify that quantities and locations of these balancing devices are accessible and appropriate for effective balancing and for efficient system and equipment operation.

- B. Examine approved submittal data of HVAC equipment.
- C. Examine Project Record Documents described in Division 1 Section "Project Record Documents."
- D. Examine design data.
- E. Examine system and equipment installations to verify that they are complete and that testing, cleaning, and adjusting specified in individual Sections have been performed.
- F. Examine systems for functional deficiencies that cannot be corrected by adjusting and balancing.
- G. Examine new rooftop air handling unit to ensure that clean filters have been installed, bearings have been greased, belts are aligned and tight, and new controls are ready for operation.
- H. Examine strainers for clean screens and proper perforations.
- I. Examine three-way valve for proper installation for intended function of mixing fluid flows.
- J. Examine system pumps to ensure absence of entrained air in the suction piping.
- K. Examine equipment for installation and for properly operating safety interlocks and controls.
- L. Examine automatic temperature system components to verify the following:
  - 1. New dampers, valves, and other controlled devices are operated by the intended controller.
  - 2. New dampers and valves are in the position indicated by the controller.
  - 3. Integrity of valves and new dampers for free and full operation and for tightness of fully closed and fully open positions.
  - 4. Sequence of operation for control modes is according to the Contract Documents.
  - 5. Controller set points are set at indicated values.
  - 6. Interlocked systems are operating.
- M. Report deficiencies discovered before and during performance of TAB procedures. Observe and record system reactions to changes in conditions. Record default set points if different from indicated values.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare a TAB plan that includes strategies and step-by-step procedures.
- B. Complete system readiness checks and prepare system readiness reports. Verify the following:
  - 1. Permanent electrical power wiring is complete.

- 2. Hydronic systems are filled, clean, and free of air.
- 3. Automatic temperature-control systems are operational.
- 4. Isolating and balancing valves are open and control valves are operational.
- Windows and doors closed so indicated conditions for system operations can be met.

## 3.3 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR TESTING AND BALANCING

- A. Perform testing and balancing procedures according to the procedures contained in AABC's "National Standards for Testing and Balancing Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning Systems" or NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems" and this Section.
- B. Mark equipment and balancing device settings with paint or other suitable, permanent identification material, including damper-control positions, valve position indicators, to show final settings.
- C. Take and report testing and balancing measurements in inch-pound (IP) units.

## 3.4 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR BALANCING AIR SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test and balance reports for the two new rooftop air handling units only. Balance AHU-1 and AHU-2 to CFM's scheduled on the drawings.
- B. Determine the best location in outlet duct for accurate CFM airflow measurements from units.
- C. Locate existing start-stop and disconnect switches, electrical interlocks, and motor starters.
- D. Check new dampers for proper position to achieve desired airflow path.
- E. Check condensate drains for proper connections and functioning.
- F. Check for proper sealing of new rooftop air-handling unit components.

# 3.5 PROCEDURES FOR NEW ROOFTOP CONSTANT-VOLUME UNITS AHU-1 AND AHU-2

- A. Adjust fans to deliver total indicated airflows within the maximum allowable fan speed.
  - 1. Measure fan static pressures to determine actual static pressure as follows:
    - a. Measure outlet static pressure.
    - b. Measure static pressure directly at the fan outlet or through the flexible connection.
    - c. Measure inlet static.

- 2. Measure static pressure across each component that makes up the existing airhandling unit.
- 3. Compare design data with installed conditions to determine variations in design static pressures versus actual static pressures. Recommend corrective action to align design and actual conditions.
- 4. Do not make fan-speed adjustments that result in motor overload. Measure amperage in full heating, economizer, and any other operating modes to determine the maximum required brake horsepower.

#### 3.6 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test reports with pertinent design data and number in sequence at pump.
- B. Prepare new hydronic systems in boiler room for testing and balancing according to the following, in addition to the general preparation procedures specified above:
  - 1. Open all manual valves for maximum flow.
  - 2. Check expansion tank liquid level.
  - 3. Check makeup-water-station pressure gage for adequate pressure for highest vent.
  - 4. Check flow-control valves for specified sequence of operation and set at indicated flow.
  - 5. Set system controls so automatic valves are wide open to system.
  - 6. Check pump-motor load. If motor is overloaded, throttle main flow-balancing device so motor nameplate rating is not exceeded.
  - 7. Check air vents for a forceful liquid flow exiting from vents when manually operated.

#### 3.7 PROCEDURES FOR HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Measure water flow at pumps. Use the following procedures:
  - 1. Verify impeller size by operating the pump with the discharge valve closed. Read pressure differential across the pump. Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights. Note the point on manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow and verify that the pump has the intended impeller size.
  - 2. Check system resistance. With all valves open, read pressure differential across the pump and mark pump manufacturer's head-capacity curve. Adjust pump discharge valve until indicated water flow is achieved.
  - 3. Verify pump-motor brake horsepower. Calculate the intended brake horsepower for the system based on pump manufacturer's performance data. Compare calculated brake horsepower with nameplate data on the pump motor. Report conditions where actual amperage exceeds motor nameplate amperage.
  - 4. Highlight flow rates that are not within plus or minus 5 percent of design.
- B. Set calibrated balancing valves at calculated presettings.
- C. Measure flow at main balancing valve on pump discharge and set main balancing device to achieve flow that is 5 percent greater than indicated flow.

- D. Measure pump flow rate and make final measurements of pump amperage, voltage, rpm, pump heads, and systems' pressures and temperatures including outdoor-air temperature.
- E. Measure the differential-pressure control valve settings existing at the conclusions of balancing.

#### 3.8 PROCEDURES FOR MOTORS

- A. Motors, 1/2 HP and Larger: Test at final balanced conditions and record the following data:
  - 1. Manufacturer, model, and serial numbers.
  - 2. Motor horsepower rating.
  - 3. Motor rpm.
  - 4. Efficiency rating.
  - 5. Nameplate and measured voltage, each phase.
  - 6. Nameplate and measured amperage, each phase.
  - 7. Starter thermal-protection-element rating.

#### 3.9 PROCEDURES FOR BOILERS

A. Measure entering- and leaving-water temperatures and water flow.

## 3.10 TOLERANCES

- A. Set new rooftop air handling airflow and the new pumps' water flow rates within the following tolerances:
  - 1. Supply and Return: Plus 5 to plus 10 percent.
  - 2. Heating-Water Flow Rate: 0 to minus 10 percent.

#### 3.11 FINAL REPORT

- A. General: Typewritten, or computer printout in letter-quality font, on standard bond paper, in three-ring binder, tabulated and divided into sections by tested and balanced systems.
- B. Include a certification sheet in front of binder signed and sealed by the certified testing and balancing engineer.
  - 1. Include a list of instruments used for procedures, along with proof of calibration.
- C. Final Report Contents: In addition to certified field report data, include the following:
  - 1. Pump curves.
  - 2. Fan curves.
  - 3. Manufacturers' test data.

- 4. Field test reports.
- 5. Other information relative to equipment performance, but do not include Shop Drawings and Product Data.
- D. General Report Data: In addition to form titles and entries, include the following data in the final report, as applicable:
  - 1. Title page.
  - 2. Name and address of TAB firm.
  - 3. Project name.
  - 4. Project location.
  - 5. Engineer's name and address.
  - 6. Contractor's name and address.
  - 7. Report date.
  - 8. Signature of TAB firm who certifies the report.
  - 9. Table of Contents with the total number of pages defined for each section of the report. Number each page in the report.
  - 10. Summary of contents including the following:
    - a. Indicated versus final performance.
    - b. Notable characteristics of systems.
    - c. Description of system operation sequence if it varies from the Contract Documents.
  - 11. Nomenclature sheets for each item of equipment.
  - 12. Notes to explain why certain final data in the body of reports varies from indicated values.
  - 13. Test conditions for fans and pump performance forms including the following:
    - a. Settings for outside- and return-air dampers.
    - b. Conditions of filters.
    - c. Fan drive settings including settings and percentage of maximum pitch diameter.
- E. New Rooftop Air-Handling Unit Test Reports: For new air-handling units AHU-1 and AHU-2, include the following:
  - 1. Unit Data: Include the following:
    - a. Unit identification.
    - b. Location.
    - c. Make and type.
    - d. Model number and unit size.
    - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
    - f. Unit arrangement and class.
    - g. Discharge arrangement.
    - h. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
    - i. Sheave dimensions, center-to-center, and amount of adjustments in inches.
    - j. Number of belts, make, and size.
    - k. Number of filters, type, and size.

## 2. Motor Data:

- a. Make and frame type and size.
- b. Horsepower and rpm.
- c. Volts, phase, and hertz.
- d. Full-load amperage and service factor.
- e. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
- f. Sheave dimensions, center-to-center, and amount of adjustments in inches.
- 3. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
  - a. Total airflow rate in cfm.
  - b. Total system static pressure in inches wg.
  - c. Fan rpm.
  - d. Discharge static pressure in inches wg.
  - e. Filter static-pressure differential in inches wg.
  - f. Outside airflow in cfm.
  - g. Return airflow in cfm.
  - h. Outside-air damper position.
  - i. Return-air damper position.
  - j. Relief air cfm.
- F. New Pumps Test Reports: Calculate impeller size by plotting the shutoff head on pump curves and include the following:
  - 1. Unit Data:
    - a. Unit identification.
    - b. Location.
    - c. Service.
    - d. Make and size.
    - e. Model and serial numbers.
    - f. Water flow rate in gpm.
    - g. Water pressure differential in feet of head or psig.
    - h. Required net positive suction head in feet of head or psig.
    - i. Pump rpm.
    - j. Impeller diameter in inches.
    - k. Motor make and frame size.
    - I. Motor horsepower and rpm.
    - m. Voltage at each connection.
    - n. Amperage for each phase.
    - o. Full-load amperage and service factor.
    - p. Seal type.
  - 2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
    - a. Static head in feet of head or psig.
    - b. Pump shutoff pressure in feet of head or psig.
    - c. Actual impeller size in inches.
    - d. Full-open flow rate in gpm.

- e. Full-open pressure in feet of head or psig.
- f. Final discharge pressure in feet of head or psig.
- g. Final suction pressure in feet of head or psig.
- h. Final total pressure in feet of head or psig.
- i. Final water flow rate in gpm.
- j. Voltage at each connection.
- k. Amperage for each phase.

# G. New Boiler Test Reports:

## 1. Unit Data:

- a. Unit identification.
- b. Location.
- c. Service.
- d. Make and type.
- e. Model and serial numbers.
- f. Fuel type and input in Btuh.
- g. Ignition type.
- h. Burner-control types.
- i. Voltage at each connection.
- j. Amperage for each phase.

# 2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):

- a. Operating pressure in psig.
- b. Operating temperature in deg F.
- c. Entering-water temperature in deg F.
- d. Leaving-water temperature in deg F.
- e. Number of safety valves and sizes in NPS.
- f. Safety valve settings in psig.
- g. High-limit setting in psig.
- h. Operating-control setting.
- i. High-fire set point.
- j. Low-fire set point.
- k. Voltage at each connection.
- I. Amperage for each phase.

## 3.12 INSPECTIONS

## A. Final Inspection:

- 1. After testing and balancing are complete and accurately documented in the final report, request that a final inspection be made by Owner and Engineer.
- 2. TAB firm test and balance engineer shall conduct the inspection in the presence of the Owner and Engineer.
- 3. Owner and Engineer may randomly select measurements documented in the final report to be rechecked.

- 4. If the rechecks yield measurements that differ from the measurements documented in the final report by more than the tolerances allowed, the measurements shall be noted as "FAILED."
- 5. If the number of "FAILED" measurements is greater than 10 percent of the total measurements checked during the final inspection, the testing and balancing shall be considered incomplete and shall be rejected.
- 6. TAB firm shall recheck all measurements and make adjustments. Revise the final report and balancing device settings to include all changes and resubmit the final report.
- 7. Request a second final inspection. If the second final inspection also fails, Owner shall contract the services of another TAB firm to complete the testing and balancing in accordance with the Contract Documents and deduct the cost of the services from the final payment.

**END OF SECTION 15950**